

# Mount Vernon Signal.

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MT. VERNON, ROCKCASTLE COUNTY, KY., FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1900.

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TELL MY FRIENDS TO BE BRAVE AND FEARLESS AND LOYAL TO THE GREAT COMMON PEOPLE.

### ALL SORTS.

Married couples in Norway are privileged to travel on railways at a fare and a half.

The first thimbles were made in Holland. They were brought to England in 1695.

Benjamin V. Beckes was killed by taking headache medicine at Vincennes, Ind.

The Empire Theater, London, has a stage so large that there is space on it for 6,000 people.

George Gould sold his fine yacht Atlanta to the Columbian Government for a cannonboat.

Forty persons were injured in a street railway accident at Niles, O., several of them seriously.

A locomotive jumped the track near Saffillo, O., and fell sixty-four feet, killing the engineer.

Spanish girls who make the famous fans of Valencia are paid about twenty-five cents a day.

Russian law allows a man to marry only four times, but he must marry before he is eighty or not at all.

A San Francisco woman who owns a hotel in that city has been joined in matrimony to her elevator boy.

The weekly bank statement shows increase in surplus reserves, specie, legal tenders and circulation.

The great forest fire which has been raging in the Cape Cod district of Massachusetts is under control.

Spain has more sunshine than any country in Europe. The average is 3,000 hours. In England it is 1,400.

The largest hotel in the world, with a capacity of 5,000 guests, is being built at Mecca, by order of the Sultan.

Cheats, blankets, pillows, and coverlets or counterpanes were frequent subjects of bequest in the middle ages.

The three-year-old daughter of Morris Levin, a merchant at Terre Haute, was wedded to death by turning over a coffee pot.

One of the few parts of Windsor Castle which has remained unchanged since its first construction in 1104 is the royal kitchen.

The amount of national bank stock held by women in America is estimated at \$120,000,000, and the amount of private and State bank stock at \$137,000,000.

Dr. Castro, who is on trial at Terre Haute on the charge of burning his drug store, has been used by one of his clerks for heavy damages for the alleged alienation of his wife's affections.

### CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

### POSSUM HOLLOW.

(Level Green.)

Truly the Lord has blessed us with a copious rain, and roasting ears to mix with beans, taters, cabbages and tomatoes will be here in a few short days--wont we farmers be happy then?

Our school began this week with P. H. Shurts at the helm.

No one but Betsy & I to look after the chickens, wop, the pigs, milk, churn and do 50 other chores per diem per day. Now wont we be busy?

Mrs. C. D. Burnett, the grand-motherly and suffering, whom we have written before died Friday. She bore her great afflictions for 3 long years with christian fortitude--never murmuring, tho at times suffering intense pain.

Yes, we went to the convention at Lexington, set up with the boys all night, saw & heard them nominate Beckham; looked the Blue Grass city over and the country between here and there, but dry weather was greatly injuring the crops, so dry that in many places fire from the engine had burned the fields over.

Now, Beckham is nominated, for I saw it with my own eyes and heard it with my ears, so the proper thing to do is to go forward and elect him. Yes, elect him we must, and elect him we will, in spite of all opposition; for the edict has gone forth (I believe that's it).

We are much pleased to see that we have a few men of back bone enough in the county to come out boldly for good roads (pikes), regardless of consequences. There are scores of the best men in the county who favor the project, but for various reasons they are not outspoken.

Now, gentlemen, it is this is carried to completion you know that a hearty public sentiment is the beginning corner, then why not help work it up? I have no axe to grind, but would love to be an humble instrument for the benefit of my fellow countymen.

Every reasonable man who has given the matter any serious thought knows the movement to be right. All admit that we need good roads and that the only way to have them is to make them.

"Oh, but," we hear a chorus of voices say, "they will cost something; we will have to be taxed." Yes, I'll readily admit that 50 miles of pike in the county will cost about \$50,000, but the tax will be so adjusted that property holders and the L. & N. R. R. will pay nearly half of the whole expense. Now, only think of that. Add we can build the roads ourselves, furnishing employment at good wages for our own people, and keep the money with us, thereby reaping a double benefit at the same time, and the roads be paid for and we hardly know the difference in taxation.

We paid for jail and court-house in less than six years, if I mistake not, and they cost one-third the amount of \$50,000. This I mention to show how much more easily we can build and pay for pikes than we might at first suppose.

The land-owners of this county through whose farms they run, we are satisfied will cheerfully give right of way and a little additional aid, too.

Now come, gentlemen, talk right out in meeting, and help put the ball in motion and keep it rolling until something is accomplished. Don't be afraid to "sign up," for we would love to know who is helping.

We ask aid from every source, regardless of age, sex, color, politics or previous condition.

This is by no means a party question, but concerns all alike, rich and poor, farmer and teamster, republican and democrat.

Very truly,  
BUCK VARNON.

### BRODHEAD

Miss Mollie Houk, of near Maysburg, is visiting Mrs. Mary Albright this week.

Some twenty-five persons from Brodhead attended the camp meeting near Peachersville last Sunday.

Masters Ed. Totten and George Frith had a very severe attack of bilious fever this week.

Mrs. Sarah Totten, who has been very sick, is now able to set up two or three hours each day.

Mr. Charley McWhorter and wife, of Casey county, sister of Mrs. J. H. Albright, visited Mr. and Mrs. Albright last week.

Dick Rigby and his best girl spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. Tim Hamm, of the Glades, and reports very pleasant trip.

Mrs. R. S. Marlin has returned from a visit to friends at Junction City.

J. H. Dunn, one of our hustling merchants, took in the Democratic convention at Lexington and then made a flying trip to Georgetown, and took in the trial of Caleb Powers. He also visited the jail at the latter place and had a look at the prisoners confined therein charged with conspiracy in the assassination of the late William B. Goebel.

John Roberts claims to have the fastest paper on record. He invites those in the blue grass section who wish to test the matter to meet him at our fair August 29, 30 and 31.

W. M. Colver still continues very low.

Miss Susie Hilton was stung by a kissing bug while taking a drink of water, causing her to suffer considerable pain. The bug was captured and placed on exhibition, and proved to be a genuine kissing bug.

### ORLANDO.

J. C. Childress and others were over at Mt. Vernon the first of the week.

James Hamm was fined \$1 and the cost in Squire Gault's court at this place Tuesday for abusive language. Judge Colyer, George Griffin and Marshal Short of Mt. Vernon were present.

Mrs. David Laswell Jr. is very sick this week.

Tom Anderson, who has been with the bridge crew for some time, came home Tuesday very sick.

Woods & Fish have their new storehouse completed.

Mrs. Childress is no better this week.

Mrs. O. T. Johnson visited home folks at Disputanta Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Oscar Hayer, who is clerking for G. T. Johnson, visited his parents at Wilds Sunday. Oscar is a good boy and a splendid clerk.

Mrs. Delie Hummel returned to her home at Austertown the first of the week.

Major Elliott, chief engineer of the L. & N. R. R., Co., together with Judge Chittard and Jerry Sullivan, spent some of our new line of railroad. The engs are getting red hot and mad as they will go to work in the next couple of days.

Carter Childress wife has been very sick for several days.

Etta Langford had a nice little horse George Evans for \$36 the other day.

Many thousands have been restored to health and happiness by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It afflicts with any throat or lung trouble give it a trial for it is certain to prove beneficial. Coughs that have resisted all other treatments for years, have yielded to this remedy, and perfect health has been restored. Cases that seemed hopeless, through the humane beneficence of this restorative, have been permanently cured by its use. Bear in mind that every bottle is warranted and if it does not prove beneficial the money will be refunded to you. Beware of cheap Druggists.

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STANFORD, KY.

FRIDAY, JULY 27, 1900.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

- For President, W. J. BRYAN, of Nebraska. For Vice-President, ADLAI STEVENSON, of Illinois. For Congress, HON. G. G. OILBERT, of Shelby. For Governor, Gov. J. C. W. Beckham, of Nelson.

McKinley, for at least one time during his administration, has concluded to adopt a sensible plan in regard to the Chinese situation. We don't know who told him, but he has concluded to withdraw our troops from China just as soon as the Americans who are there can be rescued. We were of the opinion that since expansion was his hobby that he would undertake to make an American citizen of every little Mongolian.

The trial of Caleb Powers still continues at Georgetown. The prosecution, up to yesterday, had examined fifty witnesses, and yet there are more to follow. The evidence so far is of a very damaging sort, and if not met by the defence, we don't see how Caleb is going to exonerate himself. We are not in favor of any innocent person suffering, but if there is anything in circumstantial evidence Caleb Powers only is not guilty, but many be the accessories to the murder of Governor Goebel. No doubt but that his blood is upon hundreds; everything points in that direction. While there are thousands of good men in the Republican party who greatly deplore the assassination of Governor Goebel, there are other men, and not a few either, who never slept a better night's sleep than the one following the death of Mr. Goebel. It is strange, and in fact past understanding, how any hope can pray to his God and then rejoice in the death of his fellow-man!

It is now demonstrated beyond the possibility of a doubt that the Democrats of Kentucky desire an amendment to the election law that will divest it of any semblance of what its enemies please to call partisanism, and we confidently believe that Governor Beckham will call an extra session of the Legislature to make such amendments as will not leave the shadow of an excuse for the most partisan Republican in the State to be hanging about "honest elections" the very thing a great many of us don't want. The truth of the matter is the Republicans don't want the election law amended, and wouldn't have Governor Beckham call an extra session of the Legislature for that purpose for the whole world and all it contains.

They used it as political capital once, and no doubt it was used many a time thereby, and a growing number at straws, saw the Republicans doing to the election law, which bears the name of that great

leader and friend of the poor William E. Goebel. It was the will of Mr. Goebel himself (the law having proved inadequate for the purpose it was intended) to have it amended. Not that we contemplate the defeat of Governor Beckham, but we simply want the election law as fair as it can possibly be made. Kentuckians are proud of their birth-right, and if by any device they can be led by unscrupulous politicians to believe they are being deprived of that God-given privilege, they cast their votes against him on whom they believe rests the blame.

While we were for Mr. Black for the nomination for Governor, and so expressed ourselves, we are now for Governor Beckham 'till he is elected by the handsome majority of fifteen thousand. Mr. Beckham has shown himself to be a leader that no one need be ashamed to follow. During the troublesome times at Frankfort, when Governor Goebel had been assassinated; the city was placed under martial law; when desperadoes under the guise of soldiers paraded the streets, when the Legislature was driven from the capitol and dispersed from every place it attempted to assemble; when the Court of Appeal were forced to abandon their usual place of meeting on account of the presence of the militia, and the fear of some of them losing their lives; when the writ of habes corpus had been suspended; when the assassination marked his man; when every Democrat who dared remain at his post of duty was hero unsurpassed even by those gallant Spartans at the "Pass of Thermopylae," then Governor Beckham conducted himself in a way that caused the civilized world to admire him for his courage, integrity and intelligence. Napoleon himself never showed greater generalship. Always cool and self possessed, he led us through those trying times and averted the bloodshed that seemed almost inevitable. Now, if this be true, which no one has a right to dispute, then haven't we a leader which any party should be proud to follow? It is alleged that he is young which is true. But Alexander, at his age, had conquered the known world, and Richard Menzies had proved himself to be the equal of Henry Clay as orator and statesman. It shows young men what can be accomplished and spurs them on to great deeds. Not only in those trying times has he shown himself to be a leader, but also in securing the nomination for governor. And when the ides of November shall have passed away it will still be Governor Beckham.

The killing of two policemen in New Orleans Wednesday night by a negro caused a general uprising, in which several negroes were killed. The mob, which overpowered the policemen, just roused the streets, shooting cutting or knocking in the head every negro they met. The governor has called out the militia to preserve peace. All works where colored hands were employed has suspended work.

Every day that the trial continues, the tighter the cords are drawn around Caleb Powers. The attorneys for the prosecution say they have already a sufficient amount of proof to insure his conviction. This the attorneys for the defence clearly see, so now it seems to be their object to place the blame on Youtsey.

BROADHEAD Fair,

AUGUST 29, 30, and 31.

Good Roads.

Mr. Editor:— The subjects of pikes has been bearing so heavily on my mind that I've had a dream—a pleasant dream—in regard to the matter. I dreamed that it was 1900 a beautiful day morning, and that after an absence of ten years, spent in different parts of the world, I had returned to my native land once again to visit the scenes of my childhood; taste the pure spring water (that bubbles forth from every hill side, and breaths the fresh mountain air. It was indeed a pleasant sight that presented itself to my view, when I alighted from the train at Mt. Vernon. There were so many porters at the station I hardly knew which way to go, but upon hearing a porter say "Hold de Miller" I gave him my grip and wended my way over to the Hotel, which was furnished to a queen's taste. After partaking of a sumptuous repast I went out for a drive over the town, which had now grown to be a good sized city, and soon found myself gazing at some of the most magnificent buildings I ever saw; the city had been rebuilt, the old houses had been replaced by stone and brick, and Mt. Vernon was a city of twenty five thousand inhabitants with street cars, electric lights, water works, ice plants, machine shops, wholesale stores and manufactories of various descriptions.

It is an up-to-date city in every respect, and the people were an air of thrift and independence worn only by those who enjoy the pleasure of this life. I was bewildered, and lost in amazement, and could hardly believe my own eyes to think that Mt. Vernon had grown from a village to a city in the short space of ten years. After spending the night at the Hotel de Miller I then started to visit my old home, and behold, the roads were macadamized. And too, I noticed fine dwelling houses, school houses, church houses built of brick, all along the route. I came to the home of Buck Varnon, and Buck was living in a mansion. He chanced to be sitting on the veranda, and recognized me, and having been my teacher in earlier days he insisted on my remaining over night, which I did without much reluctance. In the course of our conversation after supper, the subject drifted to the changes which had taken place during my sojourn in other parts, and I asked Buck to tell the how it was that Rockcastle had changed so much in so short a time. I supposed it was probably on account of the political complexion of the President. But Buck said "no" that he had come to the conclusion that the presidents didn't play so great a part as he used to think in matters of that kind. "The key to the solution," said he, "is this: you remember when you left here a few people were advocating pikes; well, the pikes have been built from one side of the county to the other, and has done it, and we are today a happy and prosperous people in deed." I was so glad I had a dream, but there is pleasure even in a dream, like this.

Let's put our shoulders to the wheel and see that it is a dream, but a pleasant reality. I really don't believe there is a person in the county who has the nerve to say any thing against it now.

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### TIME TABLE.

24 north	11:05 a.m.
26 north	1:32 p.m.
23 south	1:57 p.m.
25 south	4:44 a.m.

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.

### MASONIC.

Ashland Lodge No. 660 meets 2nd Monday 12 A. M.

### CHURCHES.

Christian—Holds services 1st & 3rd Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 6:30 p. m.

Presbyterian—Holds services on the 1st Sunday.

Baptist Church—Services on the Second Saturday night and Sunday. Sunday School at 9 a. m. every Sunday. Prayer meeting on Tuesday nights.

### LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. Charley Simpson has typhoid fever.

Mrs. Hiram Joy, of Pine Hill, is visiting in Tennessee.

M. C. Miller in from Dayton, Tenn., visiting home folks.

Mrs. David Wood has been on the sick list for several days.

Sam Reynolds' baby, of near Pine Hill, died last Sunday morning.

Dr. Thomas is working on a telephone line from Livingston to London.

There will be a reunion of the Blue and Gray, at Woodstock Aug. 15 to 17.

Miss Fannie McClure still continues very sick no improvements over last week.

Mrs. Ewers will leave in a few days for Indiana where she will join her husband.

Mrs. Sam Pennington was brought to her fathers, Sunday very sick with fever.

Mrs. Jonas McKenzie who has been sick for the past two weeks is very much improved.

Mesdames J. W. Gregory and W. T. Carey, of Lebanon Junction are the guests of Mrs. Essie Painter.

Mrs. Matilda Wood is with Walk Gentry's wife, near Pine Hill. Mrs. Gentry has been sick for some time.

Be sure and read carefully the double-column advertisement of G. T. Johnson, of Orlando, which appears in this issue.

R. L. Brown will commence his school at Brodhead Monday next. Miss Helen Thurston will be his assistant.

"Smiling" Dave Jackson was here to see our merchant Monday. They are always glad to see him come around.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lawrence returned yesterday from Dayton Tennessee where he has been working in a telegraph office.

Mrs. L. W. Bethuram returned Saturday from Middleboro very much improved in health. She brought with her, her two sisters Misses Zula and Fannie Jones.

The Mt. Vernon Band has the following engagements for the summer, Nicholasville, Aug. 2 and 3; Woodstock, Aug. 15-16-17-18; Brodhead, Aug. 29-30-31; Barbourville, Sept. 3-4-5.

Judge Alcorn was here Tuesday, leaving Tuesday afternoon for other points in the mountains on legal business.

Miss Dove B. Letcher of Richmond, will join the party that went from here to Mallory Springs, and spend a day with them.

There were four applicants in the county examination held last Friday and Saturday. Two received first-class certificates and two second class.

James Crawford, Sr., administrator of the estate of W. G. Adams, deceased, was here the first of the week arranging some matters connected with it.

Judge Williams, who has been suffering severely for the past two weeks with a rising in his head, went to Stanford Tuesday to have an operation performed.

W. F. McClary and wife left Wednesday night for St. Louis, where Will will take a business course. They will return to Mt. Vernon about Christmas.

W. R. McClure came down from Jellico Sunday to see his daughter Miss Fannie whom we reported very sick last issue. She is no better at this writing.

For insurance of any kind, free life guarantee only the very best companies in the United States represented. Call on E. S. Albright, agent, at SIGNAL office.

Mrs. Bert Owens, mother of George Mullins, who was killed in the bridge disaster at Calvary a few weeks ago, has compromised with the railroad company for \$4,500.

Jas T. Adams returned Friday from Garrard county where he had been for the past two weeks having his wheat crop threshed. He says he had an exceedingly good crop.

Mrs. A. C. Franklin, of Athens, Ky., mother of our foreman, S. C. Franklin, who has been with him during his illness, of the past three weeks, returned home Tuesday last.

A new firm will open business here August 1st Bob and Ed Cox will compose the firm and the style of the firm will be Cox Bros. They will use the building which is now occupied by Theo Wesley.

Willie Mullins, who has been in Texas for the past two years with his brother-in-law, James Crawford paid relatives a visit here, the last of the week. He will return to Texas in a few days, where he will teach school this fall.

This is the week which a majority of the editors are taking off. Probably the most attractive place the party will visit will be Duluth, Minn., which, if from no other cause was made famous by the speech delivered in Congress by Hon. Proctor Knott.

The bank which the citizens of our town have been trying to get for so long is now sure to come. The stock has all been subscribed, and \$3,000 more than is needed, leaving out \$2,000 of the original amount, which was subscribed. The bank will commence business September 15th.

J. A. Craft and Col. R. L. Ewel, of London, and W. A. Morrow, of Somerset, were here this week assisting the local attorneys, C. C. Williams, Bethuram & Bethuram and S. D. Lewis, preparing the petition in the Wilson case, which was taken to Frankfort Tuesday to be presented to Governor Beckham, asking for the pardon of Wilson. From what we can gather there are between 3,500 and 4,000 signatures to the petition asking for his release.

### NOTICE.

I have been sick for some time and am in debt. Therefore notice is hereby given to all persons owing me and whose indebtedness is past due, to call and pay me in whole or part by the 15th of August, otherwise they can settle with my attorney. This notice will appear but once. J. K. McCLARY.

Minor Fish who went into the depot here about six months ago, to learn telegraphy has been examined by the chief dispatcher, Westfield and pronounced thoroughly competent to hold down an office. He has charge of the office at this place this week while Agent Landrum is laying off to attend the Masonic lodge. Minor has broken the record, in learning in six months what it took many two years to learn, and before many years, we predict that he will have something better than a little Railroad office.

ADAMS FISTULA SALVE manufactured by J. W. Adams & Co., Paint Lick, Ky., is meeting with ready sale everywhere. Persons who have used it say it's a marked success and a sure cure for Fistula, Pile-evil, Sweeney, Scratches, Enlargements, Greasy Heel, Etc. It is sold on a written guarantee and money refunded if not as represented. For sale by Ueoo Wesley, druggist, Mt. Vernon, Ky. 44-380

### LIVINGSTON

The sick of our town are all very much improved.

Mrs. J. R. Suckey went to Richmond Sunday and will attend the fair at that place.

Mrs. Merrimee wife of dispatcher is visiting her sister in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Magee was with friends in Crab Orchard the first of the week.

Dispatcher Wright and wife are visiting relatives in Parksville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Blankenship was visiting at Conway Sunday.

Mrs. Earnest Thompson of Lebanon Junction is with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Alford Owens at this place.

Miss Heilen Mahan returned to her home in London after a lengthy visit to Mrs. Will Write.

Mr. Rhinehart is on an extended business trip in Tennessee and other parts.

Miss Bertie Anderson of Craborchard is visiting her sister Mrs. Ida Chumley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Dillon has returned from Craborchard where they attended the funeral of their brother Dock Dillon.

Prof. Dickerson opened his school in the Caloway district Monday.

Alford Wallen has moved from the Glades to this place and has a position at the coal bins loading coal.

Mrs. Hearty and children will move back to Lebanon this week.

Married last Monday in Mt. Vernon Gabe Martin and Miss Leana Mink of this place were united in matrimony. The boom across Rockcastle river which hold the saw-logs, belonging to the firm of Bowman & Cockrell broke Monday and caused considerable trouble but little damage.

### Summer Colds

Are you suffering from a cold? They weaken your throat and lungs, and lead to serious trouble. Do not trifle with them. Take Banner Salve at once. It soothes, heals, and cures.

Cycling has its ups and downs. After the downs, use Banner Salve. It soothes, heals, and cures. It heats the hurt quickly.

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### WILDIE

J. E. Singleton was in Wildie Monday.

Dr. Lewis went to Cincinnati Sunday to see his brother, who belongs to the regular army.

Henry Fish and sister, Mrs. Julia Azbill, are at A. F. Fish's this week.

Misses Debra and Flora Fish and Annie Proctor visited Mrs. Rose Tharp at Winston, Estill county, last week.

J. F. Butner, who has been very low for some time, we are glad to say, is considerably improved.

Another lie-down at the rip-roaring Rock Adams' Saturday night.

Mrs. George Cook, of Livingston, was at J. F. Fish's the first of the week.

Judge Martin, of Jackson county, was in Wildie Monday.

A. C. Tovery took a notion that if Moses could get water out of a rock he could, too, so he tried it and water came forth. (He dug a well.)

### PINE HILL.

Daniel Breck, superintendent of the L. & N. railroad, was here Wednesday evening and has suggested several improvements about the station.

Miss Maggie Hambrook, one of Livingston's prettiest girls, has been visiting Mrs. Judith Symptom this week.

Pine Hill has been on the tip-top of expectancy, waiting for Miss Etsy Mathews and Mr. Harry Gentry. Yesterday was to have been the happy day, but because of the rain the whole community suffered the bitter disappointment of seeing a good dinner slide from sight. Verily, Verily, hopes deferred make the storm bitter.

Mr. Sam Reynolds' child died Saturday evening and was buried the following day in the Pine Hill churchyard.

Mr. Foyner, attorney for the L. & N., was here Monday to arrange some company business with Mr. Nelson Griffin.

The Pine Hill baseball club was organized last Saturday, but upon a weak financial basis. On looking over a catalogue of baseball supplies it is found necessary to have some money to outfit the nine. Now all that which is to take part in the game please come to Pine Hill Saturday and have the small sum of 25 cents at the postoffice.

The school here has been running smoothly. Miss Gertrude McPherson is ably assisted by her sister, Miss Mattie.

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Wells of Lincoln per barrel	4.25
Daisy flour per barrel	\$4.45
Labelle flour	\$4.75
Dan's House Soap, 3 cakes	10c
Star Soap, 3 cakes	10c
Kiva, No. 1, per lb	7 1/2c
Granulated Sugar per lb	7c
Extra Light Brown Sugar	6 1/2c
Syrup, Carmelita, gal. bottled	4.00
Sorghum, best home-made gal.	4.00
Shustuff, per hundred	\$1.00
Tacco, all the best brands	10c
Can goods	25c
Clothing, suits	75c to \$15.00
Lamb, 10c in small lots	10c
Timothy hay per hundred	\$1.00
Other seed oats home on hand	75c
Corn 25 bu or more per in 60c	60c
Corn, lots less than 25 bu	65c
Millet hay on hand	75c
Potatoes per bu	75c
Eggs per doz.	75c
Feathers per lb	5.00
Cattle, extra shippers	\$4.75 to 5.00
Cattle, common	\$2.75 to 3.00
Hogs, best breeders	\$5.00
Hogs, medium	\$4.50
Hogs, roughs	\$3.75 to \$4.40
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### Land, Stock, Crop

W. I. Herrin sold to Wm. Perkins a batch of heifers \$14. J. M. Cress bought of Ribhard Robison his farm of 48 acres for \$1,325. George T. Wood sold to O. P. Huffman 20 cattle for July 20 to Oct. 10 delivery at 33c. D. N. Prewitt bought of J. E. Lynn 45 stock ewes at \$4 and of Middleton Lynn 39 at \$3.75. A. Haasin County woman gathered 180 gallons of raspberries from an acre of land and sold them for \$72.80. J. G. Riddle sold to J. E. Holman 30 ewes at \$1.75 and to Lawson & Fox 21 ams at 1/2c and 1/4c, withers at 3/4c. Lutes & Co. sold four butcher cows to G. W. Camden at 3c. C. L. Lynn sold four butcher cows at 1/2c and to a Jessamine man 200 sheep at \$3.75. The corp was in the United States this year, if not injured by drought, will be the largest ever harvested. It is estimated at 2,240,720,000 bushels. Lynn & Co. have sold to Eugene Berkeley 100 stock ewes at 4c and bought of W. S. Corrie 200 at \$3.75. They also sold four good butcher cows to Geo. Camden at 3c. Interior Journal.

Judge J. W. Hughes sold to D. N. Cogar 5,000 bushels of wheat at 80c and half of the rise in six months if there is any. B. F. Spanglers has bought the Nat. Lafon farm of 440 acres for \$15,000. Miller Cloyd, of Bobon community, sold last week to Messrs. Hill & Co. of Garrard, 35 stock hogs at 5c. B. F. Saunders shipped and sold this week 600 fat hogs, for which they received 56c. They also shipped 700 lambs, for which they received 63c. Harrodsburg Democrat.

LINCASTER COURT.—Only about 60 cattle were on the market yesterday and but few of them were cheap. A few steers sold at close to 3c; several hogs at 3 1/2 to 4c; some butcher cattle at 40 to 45c. A few mules changed hands at \$75 to \$110, but no horses were offered. The crowd was small.

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During last May an infant child of our neighbor was suffering from cholera infantum. The doctors had given up all hopes of recovery. I took a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy to the house, telling them that I felt sure it would do good if used according to directions. In two days time the child had fully recovered. The child is now vigorous and healthy. I have recommended this remedy frequently and have never known it to fail.—Mrs. Curtis Baker, Bookwalter, Ohio.

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### COURT CALENDAR.

COUNTY COURT.—Fourth Monday in each month.

QUARTERLY COURT.—First Monday in January, April, July and October.

CRIMINAL COURT.—Second Monday in February, Fourth Monday in May and Third Monday in September.

### MT. VERNON POLICE COURT.

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