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When the writer came to Mt. Vernon in 1877 there were but six houses on Main street west of railroad crossing, including Jack Adams' residence, where the dwelling of R. A. Sparks now stands. Corn fields took up on Williams and Poplar streets and on both sides of roads west on Main street. Newcomb avenue and White street were corn fields and pastures. An old wooden jail stood in rear of court house, a "stone stable" was on the lot where Jones McKenzies store house stands. Dr. McKee occupied the house in which the post office is now kept. The merchants were M. J. Miller, Jack Adams, Williams & Miller, J. W. Moore (also post master), J. T. Clark, in house where Mr. Miller now sells goods. Mrs. Sarah Welsh, M. F. Brinkley and J. E. Vowels; W. M. Weber and W. T. Brooks had drug stores. Where the Peoples bank is located was a bar-room where beer was sold until the five cent act was passed, much more drinking was done in those days than now. Walk Newcomb had a blacksmith shop where H. C. Gentry is now located. Green and Hopper were running a grist mill and carding machinery. Charles Kirtley, James Burdett, John McClary, Sam H. Burdett and G. W. McClure were the lawyers with L. A. Stewart and John Watson Brown studying for admission to the bar. News at

that time did a thriving free business in the barber line among sidewalks and some planked sidewalks, numerous friends until he became Shipment of ton bark was at its carless, cut a number of heads of highest. The shed of old horse mill was yet standing on lot where pumpkins, thereafter his rode Tom Proctor's residence is located. Old ton yard was in fair state of preservation on lot just below close his shop for lack of appreciate victims. S. W. and J. J. Griffin still near Spout Spring. Brown and W. P. McKee were the doctors practicing here. We think J. M. Fish was county judge; D. M. Williams county clerk, Wm. Randall was circuit judge and James Tinsley, of Barbourville was Commonwealths attorney. James L. Joplin was proprietor of Joplin hotel and the Kirtley boarding house was located where W. M. Poynter now resides. The Newcomb hotel was then occupied as a residence by the families of T. K. and Jack Adams, Sr., J. E. Allen was undertaker and owned the Dr. Myers property on Old Main street. Dr. Grant of Lancaster, came up occasionally to do the dental work. Dick Stanley was the shoemaker and lived in the property owned by James Meadows. There was no bank until twenty three years later. Most of the banking business was done through Stanford. The preachers, as we remember were William Azbill, of Winchester, James Allen of Danville, James Chestnut and Jesse Taylor of the county. Wood Harper was railroad agent and operator up to August, 1st, 1877 when the regular coal charge. There were two passenger trains, one each way, the Woodens and Sadditt who were conductors. Cash Crooke was in charge of the Pine Hill mines. There was a coal bank and other local mines furnished the town with all coal needed. The railroad had been here ten years. The terminus had been in vain, due to the system of road working and not to trains, no air brakes, only one telegraph wire, no telephones, no bar-room except John Brown. There was only two wheeled vehicles in use of buggies or carriages in Mt. Vernon. The old "gallows" had only been taken down a few months. But three planes and an organ or two. No typewriters, no news papers, no printing press. Three brick houses, court house, Joplin hotel and Carpenter's store (where George Johnson keeps), one church building, three lodges, masonic, odd fellow and good templars. County was democratic in politics.

what it would mean to the county. Dr. A. G. Lovell, Cashiers M. B. Salin and W. L. Richards were the other speakers, who made short but to the point talks. The speaking having closed the subscription list was started and the following subscriptions received:

F. L. Thompson \$50 00
C. C. Williams 100 00
Wm. Pointer 100 00
W. B. Dillingham 100 00
Dr. A. G. Lovell 50 00
Chas. G. Davis 50 00
A. B. Furnish 50 00
Robert Cox 50 00
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E. S. Albright 50 00
W. A. Cox 25 00
J. J. McCall 50 00
Mrs. C. H. Brown 25 00
John Craig 50 00
S. W. Davis (crushed stone) 100 00

One rather discouraging feature was the absolute indifference on the part of the large majority of our business men, who would derive more benefit than all others.

A large number of ladies were present to add good cheer and enthusiasm to the meeting. Mesdames G. W. Marler and F. E. Shays being two of the number who came at seven miles from the country to be present at this meeting.

The Mt. Vernon Brass Band furnished music and all in all it was a pleasant as well as what we believe will prove a profitable evening spent.

There still remains something to be done, to be raised on subscription and the following gentlemen, Messrs P. H. Shuts, W. L. Richards, M. B. Salin, A. H. Hamlin, and W. B. Dillingham, who composed the soliciting committee, will be glad to take any ones name who desire to contribute by the aid. Upon the list, set now being mailed, if contained and each one doing his part, we believe the coveted result is near at hand. Will we all keep fighting or not. The result will tell the tale.

GOOD MEETING—The good roads meeting held at Court House last Friday night was a rousing good meeting and we believe the initial step toward the construction of some good roads or pikes in the Rockcastle. The interest manifested was wonderful and to those who have been leading the fight must have been very gratifying. The meeting was organized by the election of P. H. Shuts, the pioneer in the good road fight, as chairman, and E. S. Albright as secretary. Judge L. W. Bethurn was the first speaker, making a strong appeal for the betterment of our roads. Judge Bethurn said that during his term as county judge he had done everything in his power to better the conditions of the roads and in this effort had the co-operation of every one directly connected, but that it seemed all had to improve the roads had been in vain, due to the system of road working and not to any neglect of duty on the part of anyone responsible. He made a strong appeal for good roads and pledged every assistance on his part in the effort to give Rockcastle at least a few miles of good road. Judge Lewis, followed in short but appropriate talk, heartily endorsing the move to get a few miles of good road, pledging his individual assistance as a citizen and constitutional officer. C. C. Williams came next, making a strong plea why the people should give more support to good roads. He said that the most pressing need, the most pressing need, the most pressing need.

A special feature of the chapel exercises on Thursday morning was the song "Rejoice! The Lord is King" by the chorus class. It was very well sung and enjoyed by all present. We expect each week to have some special music by the different departments and also to have read some one of the best Bible essays from the different Bible classes.

The Athletic Association met on Monday afternoon to elect officers and arrange for Basket and Base ball teams. The following officers were elected: President, Scott Miller; Vice President, ———; Secretary, Clyde Watson; Treasurer, Mattie Baker; Sergeant of Arms, Ray Miller; Manager H. S. Bill Team, Robert Harry Miller; Captain H. S. Bill Team, Joe McKenzie; Captain Grammar Ball Team, Alma Forbes; Captain Girls' Basket Ball Team, High School, Blanche Crawford; Grammar, ———; Coach for High School, Miss Wiley; Coach for Tennis, Miss Waddle.

The Literary Society will hold their first meeting of the year this afternoon at 2:30. This meeting will be a business meeting for election officers and appointing committees. A regular program will be arranged for the following Friday afternoon. We will be glad to see our friends present at these meetings and at any other of the school exercises.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Watson*

Do not be deceived by unscrupulous imitators who would have you believe that the imitation pills are as good as DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills. There isn't anything just as good as these wonderful pills for the relief of Backache, Weak Back, inflammation of the bladder, urinary disorders, and all kidney complaints. Any one can take DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills as directed in perfect confidence of good results. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

Take care of your stomach. Let Kodol digest all the food you eat, for that is what Kodol does. Every tablespoonful of Kodol digests 2 1/2 pounds of food. Try it today. It is guaranteed to relieve you or your money back. Sold by Chas. C. Davis.

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I can furnish the public with the best as well as the freshest of cut flowers, plants of all kinds, bulbs, potted flowers, and short notice. Also make a specialty of wreaths for funeral purposes. In connection with the above, I have all kinds of vegetables on hand at reasonable prices.
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Dr. Miller Anti-Pain Pills. 15 doses, 25 cts.

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Franks Waterford and Edward Boone were, instantly killed, and George Hays was, Frank Boone probably fatally injured by the explosion of a boiler in a sawmill near Spring Creek, Crayson church Tuesday.

ANNOUNCEMENTS
We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. CRAYSON as the candidate of the Mt. Vernon chapter of the Grand Old Party.

For Sale: **PATENT**—Having sold my farm, I desire to sell privately the following stock: One team of mules; one 2-year old mule; one 2-year old filly; one 2-year old horse; ten head of sheep and 10 head of cattle.
R. H. Lewis, White, Ky.

LIVINGSTON

BRODHEAD

COVE

DRUGS Why don't you stop and think before you buy that cheap soap that will ruin your skin...

Bill Graves will move into Bill Ward's house over the river. E. Hellard has been attending court in Jackson county...

Mrs. Fred L. Durham, of Elizabethton, is visiting relatives here. Mrs. John Robins has a very sick girl...

Jessie Cotton is able to be out again. W. T. Davis and family were visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity this week...

Barber Wheelon has entered the barber shop and T. W. Darlin the barber who has been here so long, has gone to Mt. Vernon to take charge of a chair in the shop at that place...

Owen Cass and Edgar Tatum were in Louisville to see the closing game of the American Baseball Association. J. C. Cable, of Havana, Cuba, is spending some time with his mother and relatives here...

Mrs. Suesie B. Cherry is visiting in Casey county this week. Cottage Street is being much improved by building one mile of nice pipe. Bart, to the wife of Virgil Martin a fine girl on the 27...

Mrs. S. J. Kinley has returned from Mt. Vernon where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jim Winstead. There is some talk of another ticket for town officers. We will give the tickets when their names are announced...

Deafness cannot be cured. by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness; and that is by constitutional remedies.

TEACHERS ASSOCIATION. PROGRAM District No. 5 Union School House Saturday Oct. 3, 1908. Devotional exercise and welcome address, J. H. Barnett Solo.

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THIS IS THE DAY AND AGE OF EXPLORING So begin by starting a Bank account with us. It does not matter what road of exploring you take, can use a bank account, and if you do not feel the use of it going you may coming back.

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Robert & E. B. Cox. Cox Bros. Building Mt. Vernon.

A. Pennington is doing well with his butcher shop; but says he has not learned to cut stake off the horns yet as one man and he could. Ben Hellard has returned home after visiting several points in the South. Born to the wife of W. M. Preston a fine girl. H. L. Delph is very sick at this writing, but hope he will be better soon. No body was ever so happy as Henry Lumpkins last Saturday. His girl from Jackson stopped off here enroute to Cincinnati and Henry was all smiles. W. H. Burton will make the race for Town Marshall again. He is a wise choice as we don't see how we can make out without him. He is a terror to lawbreakers and an equal to the best in the last month he has captured three hundred pounds of railroad grass and about sixty pieces of tools. And the other day he returned a blacksmith shop that had been hauled away. He is as shrewd as any detective, and to any one having a mystery to unravel, we would recommend Marshall Hellard. His motto is "I never sleep." H. D. Magee will make the race for Police Judge and glad will we be to see him fill that place of honor. Harry Harwell the qualifications of a gentleman and would fill the place with credit, and we believe would be fair and impartial and render judicious decisions to all matters that would come before him. In a word, he is a high toned, clean, and a fit man for the place. Miss Anna M. Walton is at home from school in London this week. Mr. Joe Mick and wife are with his brother, Bob, at this place. Little Grace and Lena Owens have returned from Moreburg where they have been visiting. Scott Wells, Mrs. Frankie Rowley, has returned from the west where she has been on a visit. Mrs. Hiram Wickham is now in Cincinnati, Ohio, this week. L. H. Davis, Ed Woodard, and C. E. Rice are off on a fishing trip. Mrs. Mary Ann, M. Jones, and Mrs. George C. Clark, of Mt. Vernon, and Arthur Rowland and Roy of Rowland, were visiting E. Woods.

William Ballely. Kidney Trouble for Nearly Thirty Years. William Ballely, Past Col. 1860, No. 26, Union Veterans Legion, and prominent member of the great later progressive associations in Chicago and New York, and secretary of one of the largest associations in the former city, had for nearly thirty years been afflicted with kidney troubles.

CASTORIA. The Kid for the Little Knight. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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MRS. CLEO W. BROWN. School improvement. Debate: Resolve that there should be no district school in Ky. with more than 60 pupils.

UNDERTAKER. Our line of Couch Caskeys is unexcelled. Hand-made Coffins furnished. Hearse sent to all parts of the County.

"The Old Reliable". Most any Drug or Patent Medicine you see advertised in the SIGNAL can be found at "THE OLD RELIABLE." Cheapest Drug Store in the county.

TAKE NOTICE. Beginning Saturday 17th, our flouring mill will start and will run every day in the week, unless unavoidably hindered, in which event the public will receive notice. Try our Meal Flour and Shipstuf, and see if it is not equal to anything on market.