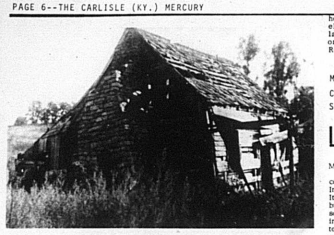

Log Cabin Of Daniel Boone

Colonel Daniel Boone, for a time was a citizen of Nicholas County, Boone built this log cabin in the spring of 1795 on Brushey Creek in Bourbon County (now Nicholas County.) Boone and his family lived here until they moved to Missouri, then part of the Louisiana Territory, for more "elbow room," in 1799. The site, Boone's last home in Kentucky, is now on Forest Retreat, Dr. Eslie Asbury's farm.

Anniversary Issue

In the spring of 1795 Colonel Daniel Boone, wife and son, Nathan, descended the Ohio river landing at Limestone, Ky., and proceeded over Smith's Wagon Road to a site in Bourbon County on Lick Fork (now known as Brushey Creek, Nicholas County, Ky.) and built a log cabin home on a track of unimproved land belonging to his son Daniel Morgan Boone, who later retired from the U.S. Army as a Colonel. The site is seven miles south of Licking River and four miles south of the site of Irish Forts. Boone's son, Isreal, had been killed in the battle at Lower Blue Licks, Va., now Kentucky, August 19, 1782. Boone buried Isreal at this site upon his return from the battle and proceeded to his home where he was serving as the first sheriff of Fayette County, Va. Boone had battled the Shawnees in this vicinity many times prior to 1795. Col. Boone and his family moved here to L.A. Charette S.T., for more elbow room in 1799. Now 167 years later the old log cabin is still standing on Dr. Eslie Asbury's farm near Forest Retreat.

Boone was born at Reading, Pa.

MORE ABOUT DANIEL BOONE'S CABIN ON PAGE FOUR, SECTION TWO.

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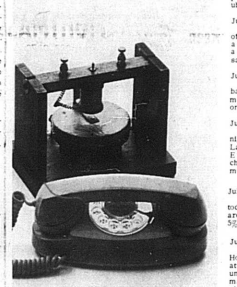

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Local Briefs

March 31, 1887--

"The feminine bustle is now the most conspicous object on the promenades. In some cases, it is simply high. It is not a little remarkable that the bustle should be left entirely to the softer sex. Why should not every man in a new spring overcoat draw attention to his shape by a protruberance similar to his wife's bustle? Wouldn't he and his wife on their way to church, exhibit more uniformly with bustles of like proportions?"

May 19, 1887--

The editor, G.R. Keller, of the Mercury will be 40 years old May 27. "We do not know that this is of much interest to many people but to us quite an event. It is the end of 39 years of as eventful a life as ordinary mortals experience. We began early and have lived fast, and old Methuselah with his 969 years, never saw as much of the world as we have, and never had one half as much fun."

W.B. Amos, founder of the Mercury, is connected with one of the most successful law firms of Orlando, Fla., as State's Attorney for the Fourth District.

May 26, 1887

"While all the world is booming the little city of Carlisle is not resting on its oars in the rear. There is not a vacant business house in the city, but two residences unoccupied, while there is not an idle mechanic in town. Some 12 or 15 new buildings are rearing their heads heavenwards, and business generally is good. When we get another railroad this activity will be doubled.

June 9, 1887--

"School teachers average $40 per month in Kentucky; $34 in Iowa; $34 in Kansas; $41 in Illinois; $33 in Maine. It looks like Kentucky compares favorably with the boasted Republican States."

June 9, 1887--

"Miss Anna Jordon, a young lady of Youngstown, Ohio, was struck by a train and hurled 30 feet, she had on a large bustle, which doctor says saved her life."

June 23, 1887--

"A Madison widow sued one of her bachelor neighbors for breach of promise of marriage, but compromised on $50."

July 7, 1887--

"Friday night July the 8th is the night of the grand social hop at the La Rue House, Blue Licks Springs. Everybody is invited. Michaels' Orchestra of Newport will furnish the music."

July 7, 1887--

"The bank statements published today show that both of our banks are doing good business. The usual 5% dividends are declared."

July 14, 1887--

"The Social Hop at the La Rue House last Friday night was largely attended, and the occasion was one of unbounded enjoyment. The cooling rain made the weather just what was desired, and all things taken together the hop was a grand success. The list of those in attendance shows that 12 of the 60 guests were from Carlisle. The crowd of spectators was large. The costumes of the ladies were elegant and costly, and with the aid of good music the dancing was continuous until early morning. Another will be given the 29th."

July 14, 1887--

Messrs Brambiett and Gibson, tobacco dealers of this county, made the biggest tobacco deal last Friday ever made in this section of the State, and their purchase of 1,380,000 lbs. that day gives them now over 3,000,000 pounds. They bought 1,000,000 pounds of Walker Sharpe at 12-1/2 cents and 380,000 pounds from Mr. Best of Mason, at 12 cents.

Feb. 16, 1888--

"Free trumpikes have been a subject of much discussion for many years. There is a growing sentiment that all highways should be open to the public without payment of tolls."

July, 1887--Corneta were selling for fifty cents.

Jan. 4, 1900--

"The hop given at Mozart Hall last Friday night by the young men of this city was a most enjoyable affair ---at 12 o'clock the dancers repaired to the Kimbrough Hotel where a delightful lunch was spread, as only Mrs. Sterling can serve. Quite a goodly number of young ladies and gentlemen visitors were present and our young folks proved to them that Carlisle was still entitled to the name "Social City."

Jan. 4, 1900--

"Mt. Olivet has 30 cases of smallpox and the town is quarantined."

Jan. 4, 1900--

"In our last issue we made mention of several old copies of the Mercury published in 1867 and 1868 which were handed us by W.H. Fritts. This week we received from Mt. Olivet a copy of the Carlisle Weekly Ledger published in 1855, and edited by Sam J. Hill. It contains several very interesting items, especially to the older folks."

Jan. 11, 1900--

A few extracts from the Carlisle Weekly Ledger in 1855:

"There arrived from Philadelphia Wed. 627 immigrants, of whom 408 were Mormons, bound for Salt Lake City. It is estimated that if the population of Utah continues to increase at the present rate, it may soon apply for admission as a state."

Jan. 18, 1900--

"Very few inland towns with small population are blessed with the great desideratum, 'a good town clock.' We are happy to state that Carlisle is not lacking in this respect. We have a first-rate clock, that keeps first-rate time, and in the person of E.C. Burden, we have a first-rate man to attend to it and keep it in proper repair."

Jan. 25, 1900-- (on front page)

"A man who has kept account of the number of kisses exchanged with his wife during their union consents to its publication as follows: First year, 36,500; second year, 16,000; third year, 3,650; fourth year, 120; fifth year, two; He then left off keeping the record."

Jan. 25, 1900--

"State Senator John Johnson, Lawrence County...has introduced in the Legislature a bill prohibiting the wearing of headgear of exaggerated size at the theater."

Feb. 8, 1900--

"A Jefferson County couple, with the preacher and attendants, climbed a tree and were married there. No reason was given for the peculiar action, but it is thought that the gentle maiden had vowed she would marry no man on earth, and adopted this method of changing her mind without seeming to break her vow."

March 1, 1900--

Advertisement: "Drink Blue Lick for indigestion and all Stomach troubles, Nicholas County has the finest Mineral Water in the world, and yet our citizens are not awakened as they should be to this fact. If you want a Barrell, Half Barrel or Case, write to Blue Lick Springs, and you can have it delivered in Carlisle."

March 22, 1900--

Jas. Barr and Co. sold Mr. Noel 50,000 lbs of tobacco for $9.00 per hundred.

Frank Bedford has sold 311,050 pound of cattle to Aylette Buckner at 5 cents per pound.

April 26, 1900--

"A prominent doctor says: 'I know of several girls who have died from sipping ices through a straw. This is the reason: In sucking, the ice-cold substance strikes the palate of the mouth and cools the head. Then when the young women walk in the sun and exert themselves the cold reacts, giving them a severe headache, which is later followed by a fever, and in some cases death has resulted."

Lewisport, Kentucky on the Ohio River, is near the Pate Farm home, were in 1827, at age 18, Abraham Lincoln was brought before Magistrate Sam Pate after being arrested for river ferrying without a license. Local legend days Lincoln, employed in Indiana, rowed a passenger to a boat in midstream. Lincoln acted as his own counsel and successfully cleared himself.

Saftey Measure

As a precaution against fire destroying their log cabin many Kentucky settlers built their log chimneys so that if they did catch fire a pail on a key log would collapse the burning chimney.

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All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Margaret Burns Henry, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned (or attorney) for payment. Lillie A. Martin, Executrix of the estate of Margaret Burns Henry, deceased. Roger C. Womack, attorney. 12-14-3pd.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Lane A. Martin, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned (or attorney) for payment. Lillie A. Martin, Executrix of the estate of Lane A. Martin, deceased. Conley & Conley, attorneys. 12-14-3pd.

ADMINISTRATORIX NOTICE

All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to the estate of Charlie Ewell, deceased, will call upon the undersigned at once and settle same; and those having claims against said estate will present same properly proven to the undersigned (or attorney) for payment. Sodie Scott, administratrix of the estate of Charlie Ewell, deceased. Roger C. Womack, attorney. 12-21-3tpd.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank those who sent cards, flowers, etc., during the illness and death of our mother, for the kindness shown by Rev. Norsworthy, our neighbors, friends, and Mathers-Shearer, Family of Mrs. Margaret Henry. 12-21-1tcg.

WANTED

HELP WANTED: Orderly needed at Nicholas County Hospital. Apply in person at the administrators office at the hospital. 12-21-2tcg.

POSTED–

All persons are hereby notified not to trespass, fish, hunt, trap, or shoot upon the land of the undersigned. Any person caught trespassing in violation of this notice will be reported to the Sheriff and prosecuted the fullest extent of the law. It is necessary that we take this step to protect our property and wildlife.

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Lodge To Meet

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NOTICE

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KU is 56 this year, but in the presence of our elders we hardly feel we have the right to mention it.

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