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A BRIEF HISTORICAL SKETCH OF THE

City of Bowling Green and Warren Co.

BOWLING GREEN, A BEAUTIFUL CITY OF CULTURE, WHOSE PEOPLE BELIEVE IN PROGRESS AND DEVELOPMENT.

THE PARK CITY DAILY NEWS
And Democrat.

JNO. B. GAINES,
Editor and General Manager.

March 1, 1911.

TO THE CITY OF BOWLING GREEN.

The Shining Glory of Her Past is the
Beacon Light of Her Future.

The man who whispers down a well,
About the goods he has to sell,
Won't reap the gleaming golden dollars
Like one who climbs a tree and hollers.

This Industrial Edition is respectfully and sincerely dedicated and inscribed to "The City of Bowling Green," and her enterprising citizens; the one our beloved home and the others our liberal friends who have so nobly and cheerfully given us their patronage during the recent years of our publication of The News. To Bowling Green, which has begun to expand into a modern Twentieth Century City, and to her sons and daughters of the past and present, her sacred institutions of Religion, Education and Law, her honored Professional men and women, her Poets, Statesmen, Jurists, Artists, Editors, Authors, Scholars, and Ladies and Gentlemen of the Old School, and the New School, to these all, and to the great dawning Future of "The New Bowling Green," this illuminated flash-light view of "Bowling Green of Today" is offered as a token of mutual esteem and collective enterprise.

JNO. B. GAINES.

In placing before the thousands of persons—who will undoubtedly read this Industrial Edition—a brief history of Bowling Green, Kentucky, it appears to the writer that it should be preceded by a few events in the annals of Warren county which lead to the establishment and organization of Bowling Green, the judicial seat and most important city in the county.

In the beginning let me say that of all the counties that I have ever written a history of, I have yet to find one that can compare with Warren, historically, and especially is this true in this State.

Warren county is one of the most historical counties in the State.

Unfortunately space will not permit of an extensive resume of the historical events of the county and city as the main object of this edition is to show our present enviable condition, and our assured future prospects and growth.

Among the first permanent settlers of this county were many men of daring who had served with distinction during the war of the American Revolution. No county could wish for a better foundation upon which to build for posterity than these Revolutionary soldiers. They were the best blood of the colonies, the American aristocracy of the eighteenth century.

Among the early settlers who took up their abode in this county and city were Thomas M. Neel, Daniel Hare, Asher W. Graham, Henry Shanks, Armstead Morehead, Daniel Campbell, William R. Payne, Henry Grider, John R. Underwood, Vivion Crosthwaith, Daniel D. Bicknell, and there were others.

But these will suffice to show, at least in part, the noble ancestry of this county's men and women, the heritage of valor and of virtue which was theirs, and which must be transmitted unimpaired unto their children.

Warren county was formed in 1796, out of Logan county, and was the twenty-fourth county organized in Kentucky, being named for Gen. Joseph Warren, the hero of Bunker Hill.

Warren is a large county, embracing in its territorial limits an area of five hundred and sixty-three square miles, or about three hundred and sixty thousand acres. The soils of the county are either alluvial or river bottom, calvarious or limestone, and silicious or sandy, and are named in the order of fertility and value. All these lands are well drained and are highly productive.

The principal products of Warren county are corn, wheat, oats, potatoes and tobacco. All the grasses are grown—the soil seems to be peculiarly adapted to the growth of red clover, timothy and orchard grass, and in the limestone sections bluegrass grows luxuriantly.

The small fruits, such as strawberries, raspberries and grapes, are produced in great abundance and of exceptional quality. Apples, pears and peaches are also raised with profit, and the watermelons of Warren county, in quantity and lusciousness, cannot be excelled. Cattle and hogs, in large quantities, are fattened here and shipped to the northern and eastern markets. Many persons in the county devote their time and money to the business of raising mules, and fancy saddle and harness horses, and tobacco of fine quality is grown. Bowling Green is the natural market for all these, and is regarded as one of the best mule markets in Kentucky. The fine field of tobacco is handled by several large tobacco warehouses in the city.

Much of the timber of the county has been consumed or destroyed, but there yet remains large tracts of valuable timber, consisting of oak, hickory, chestnut, beech, poplar and ash, which

is suitable for the manufacture of furniture and agricultural implements.

The county is well watered—Green river bounds a considerable extent of its territory, while Barren river runs through the whole length of the county from northeast to southwest. Besides the two rivers named are Gasper river, Drake's Creek, its several tributaries, and Jennings Creek, all within the confines of the county. Green and Barren rivers are navigable streams, free of toll, and much of the commerce of Bowling Green and the surrounding country is carried upon their waters to all points on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers.

Another important industry of Warren county is its stone trade. There are a number of large stone quarries in the county which employ, in the aggregate, several hundreds of hands, and have in use the latest machinery and equipment for quarrying and shaping stone. This stone is a very fine quality of white limestone, in great demand for curbing, building and other purposes, and the supply is inexhaustible. It is sawed and dressed with great ease, as it is quite soft when first taken from the quarry, but soon hardens from exposure to the sun and atmosphere.

The county abounds in unlimited mineral resources, and coal, oil, iron, asphalt and natural gas underlay the surface in vast quantities. These have never been properly developed, and a splendid opportunity is offered here for successful operations in these extensive fields.

While Warren county offers great inducements to manufacturers on account of abundance of raw material and water power, yet it offers greater inducements to those who desire to engage in horticultural, agricultural, livestock and poultry business.

As to its manufacturing advantages, a large quantity of raw material, hardwood timber, cheap and satisfactory labor, low cost of living and proximity to markets are the points and most important advantages for seekers of manufacturing establishments to consider.

A simple statement of setting forth the city of Bowling Green, "The Park City," as it is today, giving salient features chiefly, and modestly pointing to what seems possible conjectures as to future prosperity, may not be amiss in this edition. The City of Bowling Green, with a population of twelve thousand, thriving and prosperous, is located on the main line of the great Louisville and Nashville railway system, and on Barren river at the head of steamboat navigation, in the central part of Warren county, of which it is the judicial seat. It is 114 miles south of west of Louisville, 71 miles north of Nashville, 224 miles southwest of Cincinnati.

Since its incorporation in 1812, it has never experienced any fictitious growth, but has developed slowly, surely and steadily as the country around and about it has made advances in agriculture, stock raising and other kindred sources of farm revenue, and during the past few years its growth has been very marked.

Bowling Green challenges attention because it is one of the most delightful towns of residences on the continent; because of its salubrious and tempered climate; because of its low cost of living; because of its healthfulness and low death rate; because of its freedom from epidemics and contagious diseases; because of its educational advantages; and last, but not least, because of its business opportunities—manufacturing, mercantile and professional. The country surrounding Bowling Green is rich, and all kinds of field crops, vegetables, tobacco, and fruit are grown. The great advantages of cheap living are at once apparent here. People in all grades of life are enabled to live easier, happier and more comfortable here than in many other places, where expenses are higher.

The city is lighted by both gas and electricity—and has an abundance of pure water for all domestic and fire protection purposes; and an electric car line traverses the city. A new railroad now in contemplation, and about assured, will connect Bowling Green with the Illinois Central railroad at Leitchfield, thus affording additional passenger and shipping facilities.

The police department is efficient and the fire department excellent. The city officials are men every one of whom is deeply interested in the future of Bowling Green, and are pledged, without regard to party politics, to do all in their power to make Bowling Green a larger and better city.

There are many miles of well-paved streets, sidewalks of cement and stone, and convenient alleys, while the roadway approaches to the city compare favorably with any in the State.

Bowling Green has churches of nearly all denominations, educational advantages equal to any in the State, a good opera house, good hotels, daily and weekly newspapers, a handsome Y. M. C. A. building, etc.

Bowling Green is celebrated for its educational institutions, for here are located the Western Kentucky State Normal School, Ogden College, Potter Bible College, Bowling Green Business University, St. Columba's Academy, Bowling Green Academy, and several private schools. These institutions of learning are among the most favorably known in the country. The business blocks are unusually imposing for a city of its size. The banking interests are represented by four solid institutions, all doing a successful business

on a conservative basis, the officers and directors of each being among our most prominent and trustworthy citizens.

The stocks of merchandise carried by the retail merchants are full and complete and compare favorably with those carried by similar stores in the large cities, hence it is absolutely unnecessary to go outside of Bowling Green to make purchases of any description. The professions are represented by progressive physicians, dentists and attorneys, while the real estate agencies are conducted by men thoroughly familiar with realty and property values.

Among the many advantages of Bowling Green are low taxes, low rents, excellent factory sites, no sympathetic strikes, healthful residence locations, several parks, excellent educational facilities, many churches, and excellent shipping accommodations.

But few cities have such beautifully shaded streets, the trees bordering them lending a most peaceful and homelike appearance.

While the improvements in Bowling Green have not been rapid, they have been substantial, and the citizens are ever ready to grasp and push to a successful issue any measure that is for the betterment of the city.

With every facility for transportation, and an agricultural population steadily increasing and widening and strengthening the home market, the incentives to energy and rewards, open to enterprise, exist here to an extent not excelled by any city in the Union of proportionate size to Bowling Green. To the manufacturer, the merchant, the man of affairs, the man having children to educate, Bowling Green extends cordial invitation for an investigation of its claims.

This briefly is the story of Bowling Green, and one would imagine it should be satisfied with its enviable position, but as it is of a progressive nature it wants more factories—and there are excellent opportunities for them here—more people, but at the same time it wants them of the right sort, of the kind that will become interested and aid in the advancement of the place, in making Bowling Green, in fact, the peer of any city of like, or even greater population in Kentucky.

To any whom this paper may reach and who are contemplating a change of business site or residence, no better place can be found than Bowling Green, for its natural and acquired advantages are undeniable. To those who may desire further particulars regarding the city, The News respectfully suggests that they write to the Mayor of Bowling Green, or to any of the many representative people whose names appear in this paper, any of whom will be glad to give any additional information, for, be it understood, Bowling Green citizens are, without exception, progressive and energetic, and have at heart the present and future prosperity and welfare of the city they are pleased to honor by calling HOME.

A SUGGESTIVE MONUMENT.

Build One Here.

Push
Boost
Energy
Schools
Morality
Churches
Harmony
Cordiality
Advertising
Talk about it
Write about it
Speak well of it
Healthful location
Help to improve it
Advertise in its papers
Good country tributary
Elect good men to office
Honest competition in prices
Faith exhibited by good works
Try to make the atmosphere healthy,
Fire all croakers, loafers and dead beats. Let your object be the welfare and promotion of your town and its people. Speak well of public spirited men, and also be one of them yourself. Be honest with your fellow-men.

A FEW WORDS.

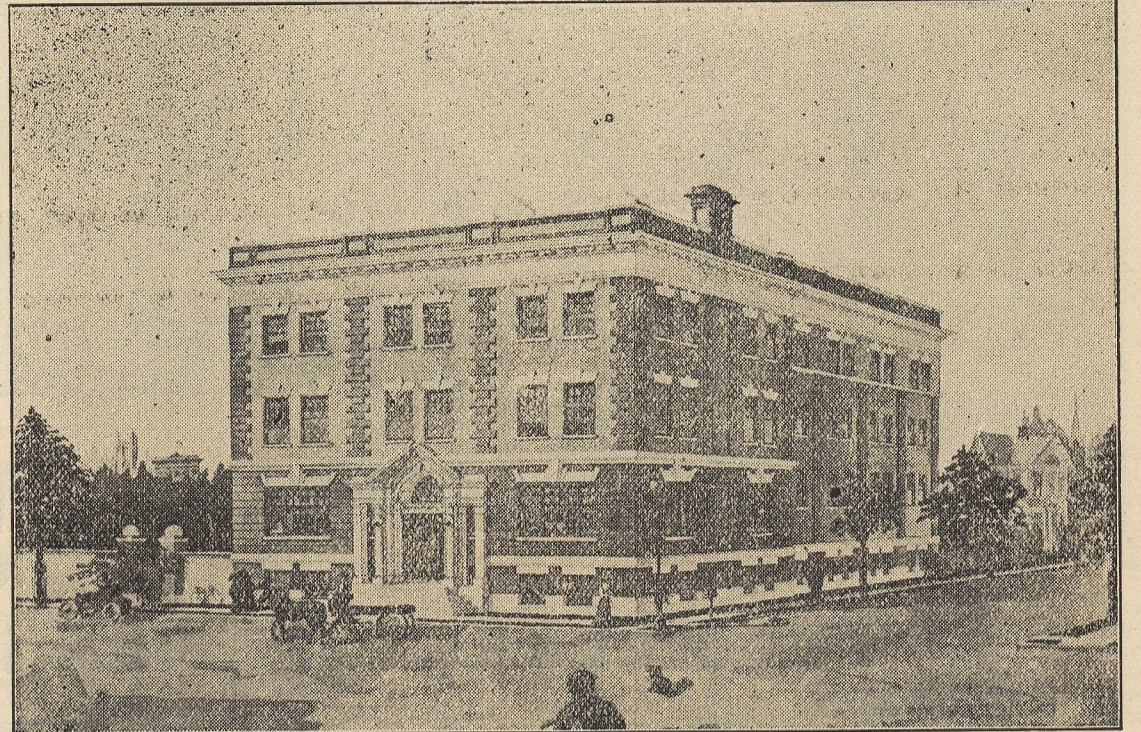
About This Edition.

The News takes much pleasure in presenting to its many readers and the public generally, both in Bowling Green and away from here, this industrial edition.

For some time past our special representative, a man who has had years of experience in the business, has spent all his time in soliciting, obtaining data, procuring photographs and cuts and preparing articles, and we are pleased to say that not one statement or promise made by him but what has been carried out in every particular.

The News desires now to thank the many representative and progressive business and professional people whose names appear in this paper for the support given us, for to their interest and liberality is due in great measure the credit for the edition.

Of course there were some who were opposed to the publication, and others who for various reasons of their own and to which they are entitled, are not represented. To these we feel as kindly as though they had subscribed for one hundred dollars each. But in every instance, whether interested or not, our representative received only the most courteous treatment from every one.



THE HANDSOME Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

SOCIETIES OF BOWLING GREEN.

Secret and Fraternal.

Bowling Green is well represented in its secret and fraternal organizations, and moreover each and every one of them is strong, not only in membership, but as well from the fraternal and benevolent feeling and results radiating from them all. It is an old saying, and an accepted one, that a member of any organization who lives up to his, or her, obligations cannot stray far from the paths of Christianity as exemplified in the teachings of the Golden Rule, and this feeling is very largely manifested by the members of the numerous secret, fraternal and benevolent societies of Bowling Green.

Among the orders here are Masons, Odd Fellows, Elks, Knights of Pythias, Red Men, Maccabees, Modern Woodman, Woodman of the World, Knights of Columbus, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Daughters of Rebekah, Knights Templar, several colored Lodges, and the societies connected with the various Churches, as well as a number of social, musical and other clubs.

CHURCHES OF BOWLING GREEN.

Our Religious Organizations.

The spiritual welfare of Bowling Green is taken care of by churches of the following denominations: Baptist, Episcopal, Christian, Methodist Episcopal, Presbyterian, Methodist Episcopal South, Church of Christ, Roman Catholic, Seventh Day Adventist, Union Mission, and several colored denominations. The church buildings are in the main large and commodious, and the great interest is manifested in all the religious services as well as in the work of the numerous auxiliary societies, and that the various pastors are earnest workers in the cause, is evident from the high moral tone of the city. Bowling Green is particu-

larly free from the rougher element, and crimes of any description are rare indeed, and this condition is undoubtedly due in great measure to the good influences which radiate in all directions from our religious organizations.

J. T. MCGINNIS & CO.,

Extensive Coal Dealers.

This well known coal business was established under the present firm name February 1, 1910, J. T. McGinnis, however, had been in the same line for four years previously. The original members of the firm were J. T. McGinnis and J. K. McGinnis. On January 1, 1911, the interest of the latter was purchased by H. S. McGinnis, who for twenty-three years had been in the employ of the United States government, the same firm style of J. T. McGinnis & Co., being retained.

They are large dealers in only the best grades of hard and soft coal, their leaders being South Jellico, Straight Creek, and Western Black Diamond, all three of which are known the country over as among the best coal mined, and which give the highest grade of heat with very little ash, cinder or clinker.

The business is both wholesale and retail, and as their yards are located directly on the tracks of the L. & N. railroad, they have exceptional advantages for unloading cars, and re-loading them for wholesale shipments. The retail trade is cared for with their own wagons, which deliver coal in any quantity to all sections of the city. The quality of coal sold has gained for this firm an enviable reputation, as is attested by their large and constantly increasing business. The office and yards of J. T. McGinnis & Co., are at the corner of Adams and Fourteenth streets, New Phone, 213.

Boost your town always.

C. H. SMITH,

Contractor and Builder.

C. H. Smith is one of the best known contractors in this part of Kentucky, and has been in this line of business in Bowling Green for twenty-five years, and has resided in this city all his life. He is a contractor and builder of buildings of every description, from a cottage to the largest business block, and is prepared at all times to submit plans and give estimates on buildings, not only in Bowling Green, but in any section of the country, and to construct them from foundation to finish. In fact nothing is too small or too large for him to undertake. During the past ten years he has been the contractor and builder for many of the fine buildings and residences in this city, and also throughout the State, among the buildings here are the Y. M. C. A., City Hall, Fire Station, Potter-Matlock block, etc., and a number of fine residences. His office is at 212 Tenth street.

C. W. STONE,

County Treasurer.

C. W. Stone, County Treasurer of Warren county, was born eight miles north of Bowling Green. He obtained his education in the county schools, and at the Southern Normal School in this city. He came to Bowling Green fourteen years ago, and has been engaged in the retail grocery business since coming here.

In November, 1910, he was elected treasurer of Warren county, by the Fiscal Court, and assumed the duties of the position January 1, 1911.



THE CENTER STREET HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.



HON. OLLIE M. JAMES,
Candidate for U. S. Senator.

Hon. Ollie M. James, Congressman, representing the First Congressional District of Kentucky, Democrat, of Marion, was born in Crittenden county, Kentucky, July 27, 1871; educated in the common and academic schools; page in the Kentucky legislature, session of 1887; studied law under his father, L. H. James; was admitted to the bar in 1891; was one of the attorneys for the late Governor Goebel in his celebrated contest for Governor of the State of Kentucky; delegate to the Democratic National Convention at Chicago, 1896, and delegate from the State at large to the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis, 1904; delegate from the State at large to the Democratic National Convention at Denver, Colorado, in 1908, and elected chairman of the Kentucky delegation at all three conventions; made a speech seconding the nomination of William Jennings Bryan for President of the United States; served as chairman of the State Convention of Kentucky in 1906, which sent delegates to the Democratic National Convention

at Kansas City; was married December 2, 1903, to Miss Ruth Thomas, of Marion, Kentucky; was elected to the Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth, and Sixtieth Congresses, and re-elected to the Sixty-first Congress, receiving 27,639 votes, a majority of 12,120 votes over his opponents on the Republican, Populist, and Prohibition tickets.

Congressman James has ever been a consistent Democrat, working zealously for the welfare of his party at all times, and at all times being ready to put self aside where the interests of true Democracy were at stake. His record in Congress has been a successful one, and the State of Kentucky, as well as his own district, have been greatly benefited by the measures he has advocated for their general good. He is now a prominent candidate for United States Senator, and if selected for this high office will undoubtedly carry into it the same manly, honorable, business methods that have been accredited to his services in the Lower House, and both Kentucky and the nation will have a Senator who can be relied upon to do his duty conscientiously and fearlessly.

LENA COLLINS,
Magazine Agency.

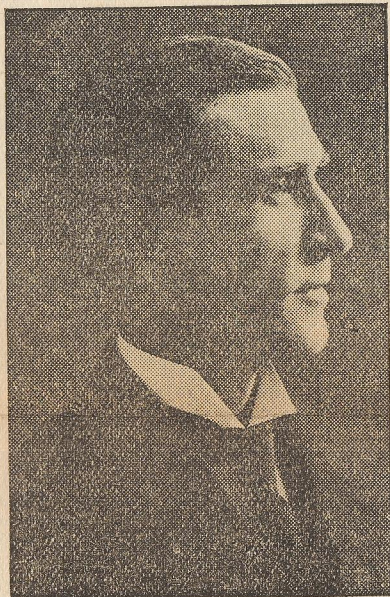
To lovers of good reading, either for recreation or education, the well conducted Magazine Club has come as a long felt want. Not so many years ago magazines were few, poorly printed, and contributed to by very ordinary writers. Today all this is changed, and of the hundreds of magazines published many of them are not only works of art, but the articles best and most cultured men and women, and range from light and interesting fiction to the most scientific subjects, not forgetting, of course, the fashion reports for the countless numbers of lady readers.

Formerly it was necessary to go to some book store for your favorite magazine, or else send to the publisher direct. Now the magazine agency takes your order and you receive your magazine by mail.

One of the many benefits of the magazine agency is that two, or more, friends can club together and each subscribe for a certain magazine, having it sent to their own address, and then, by passing them from one to the other, get the reading in all of them at a nominal price, or if one person desires several different magazines they can order them through the magazine agency. In both the above cases the magazines are purchased for much less than you can obtain them yourself for, and at much less than the publishers price.

There is no better or more popular gift today than a year subscription to a magazine, and where there are several gifts to be bestowed, these can be had at clubbing rates and sent to different addresses anywhere in the United States.

The above are only a few of the benefits of the magazine agency, but there are others, many others, which cannot be touched upon in an article of this nature, and for this reason we respectfully suggest to all lovers of good, wholesome reading of any description, that they call upon, or write, Miss Lena Collins at her office in the Neale Building, 937 State street, who conducts the best and most popular Magazine Agency in Warren county, and is in a position to give you information about magazines of every kind, for the family, the wife, the husband, the son or the daughter.



REV. SAMUEL M. MILLER,
Pastor State Street Methodist Church.

Rev. Samuel M. Miller, pastor of the State Street Methodist Church, was born in Taylor county, Kentucky, and received his early education in the district schools, after which he attended Vanderbilt Training School, Elkton, Ky. He later entered Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., from which he graduated in 1902, with the degree of A. B. He then took a special, or Post-Graduate course in the same institution and received the degrees of A. M. and B. D. Rev. Miller has the distinction of being a member of the Phi Beta Kappa, a scholarship fraternity organized in 1776, and to become a member of which a scholar must have an average of eighty-six, or above during his entire college career, before he can be elected to membership. This average Rev. Miller attained during his course at Vanderbilt University. In the fall of 1904, he was admitted to the ministry at Franklin, Ky., in the Louisville Conference. He was pastor in Jeffersonville, Ind., three years, Elizabethtown, Ky., three years, and came here as pastor of the State Street Methodist Church in October, 1910. He married Miss Frances Mai Peterson, daughter of G. W. Peterson, of Campbellsville, Ky.

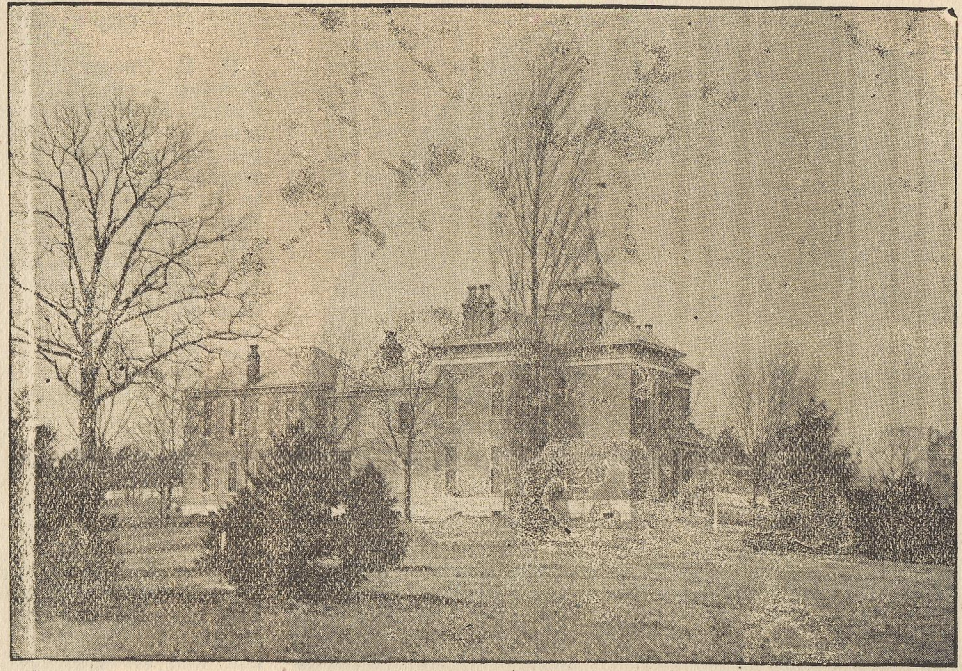
The State Street Methodist Church, from an architectural standpoint, is one of the most beautiful church edifices in Southern Kentucky. It is constructed of stone, and lends a most impressive and imposing appearance to Bowling Green. The church has a large membership, and the Sunday school and other auxiliary societies connected with the church are in a healthy and flourishing condition.

BENJAMIN F. PROCTER,
Attorney-at-Law.

Benjamin F. Procter was born in Logan county, Kentucky, and was educated in the schools of that county and at Bethel College. His father, T. L. S. Procter, was one of the substantial citizens, dispensing a generous hospitality, and was greatly honored for his many qualities. His mother was Agnes Hunter Carson, of Butler county, worthy in every respect of her husband. Benjamin F. Procter married Lila Pendleton, the youngest daughter of Rev. J. M. Pendleton, D. D.

Mr. Procter has practiced law in this city for over thirty years, achieving success and reputation second to no attorney in the State. Our many readers will see an illustration of his handsome Colonial home in this issue.

Come to Bowling Green, Ky. Best town on earth.



OGDEN COLLEGE
For Young Men.

Ogdens College owes its existence to the wise beneficence of Major Robert Ogdens, of Warren county, who died in 1873, leaving the greater part of his estate for the foundation of an institution for the promotion of higher education; a foundation which has developed into the present institution, occupying in Bowling Green its distinctive field for the training of young men.

The College was opened for students in September, 1877, and is the oldest educational institution in Bowling Green with a continuous history. Its record during the thirty-three years of its existence, has been one of which its friends have a right to be proud, as the thoroughness of its work has been fully attested by the success of its former students, and the adequacy of its courses to equip young men for the various professions and callings of life has been well demonstrated. In proportion to the number of its students, it has educated as many able and prominent ministers of the gospel, lawyers, physicians, teachers and business men as perhaps any other educational institution in the country.

The College is splendidly situated in the southern outskirts of Bowling Green and has a fine campus of some seven acres, which is artistically adorned with a great variety of trees and with rare shrubbery, so as to make the location one of the most beautiful in the city. Its buildings are also excellent and its equipment in the way of library, laboratories and apparatus generally is modern and is unexcelled for the work the institution undertakes.

By reason of its endowment, the institution is also able to offer its splendid advantages practically free of cost to the young men of Kentucky, as it requires no regular tuition fee at all, all the usual charges being covered

by a small annual incidental fee. As the cost of living is very reasonable in Bowling Green, worthy and earnest young men are able to secure a thorough college education at Ogdens at less expense in proportion to the advantages offered, than at any other educational institution in this part of the State.

The College offers a preparatory course of two years and a regular college course of four years. The latter leads to the degree of Bachelor of Arts and is formulated on the modern plan of conferring the degree for the completion of a certain number of units of work in the various departments in each of which a minimum is required and a maximum allowed. This arrangement permits a large amount of elective studies in the case of for a degree. Others, not candidates, are allowed to take such special courses as they may pursue with profit. It is the policy of the institution to make itself as widely useful as possible and yet to confine itself to the field of circumstances will enable it to occupy with the greatest advantage to all concerned. So it offers no work for advanced degrees nor does it confer any honorary degrees, its honors being bestowed solely upon the basis of work actually done. It has, however, for several years maintained, as an important auxiliary to its regular work, a department of Art Manual Training which gives to the student four years of training in the principles and practice of drawing, designing, wood-carving and clay-modeling. In this department he is not only given valuable instruction but he is taught to give expression to his conception and is led to intellectual effort, thus training the hand as well as the head.

Under the same policy pursued in reference to its course, the College has never striven to increase the number of its students beyond that which can be cared for to the best advantage. Its aim has been never to have

its classes so large but that each student may be able to secure that personal supervision and that individual attention so necessary to the highest success. Its purpose has been to constantly insure for each daily drill and daily contact with the professors in charge of the different departments.

Not only has the course of the college been recently extended, but its faculty has also been enlarged and will, for the work the institution undertakes, now compare very favorably both in numbers and qualification with that of similar institutions in the country. Its members are graduates of the best colleges and universities and have besides had the best professional training and a large amount of experience. Each of them is a specialist in his own field and collectively they constitute a body of well-trained and well-equipped teachers.

During its history Ogdens has had four presidents. Its first president, Dr. J. W. Wightman, held the office until 1883. He was then succeeded by Major W. A. Obenchain, who occupied the position until 1906, when Dr. A. F. Lewis began his administration which continued until 1910. On September 1, 1910, Dr. R. W. Binkley became the executive head of the institution. Dr. Binkley is a graduate of Cumberland University, class of 1881, with the degree of A. B., and six years ago he received the honorary title of D. D., from the same university. Previous to his present position of President, he was a member of the faculty of Ogdens College, and was therefore thoroughly familiar with the work of the institution.

Under his comparatively short administration the college seems to have entered upon a career of greater prosperity, which will extend the highly useful work it has been doing in the past and will contribute to make it more than ever an important factor in the educational history of Bowling Green, one of the important educational centers of the South.



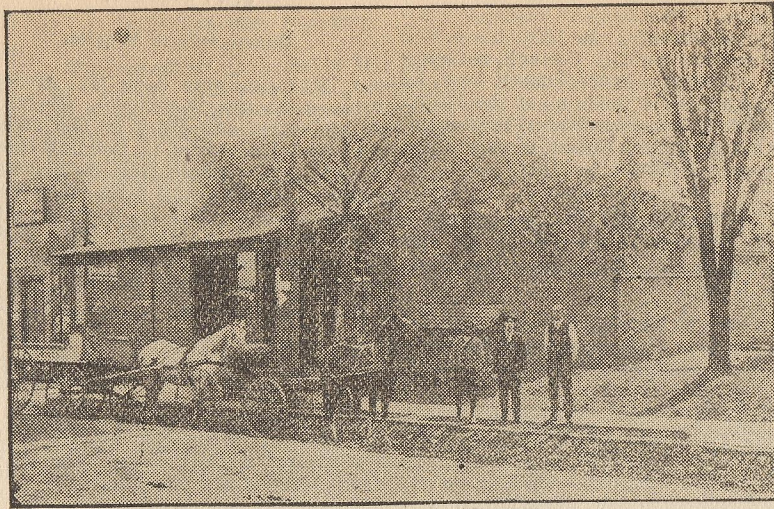
J. P. HAGEY,
Groceries and Meats.

This well-known and popular grocery and meat store was established fourteen years ago by A. G. Hagey, who was succeeded five years ago by his son, J. P. Hagey, the present owner. Here is carried a line of staple and fancy groceries, canned goods, teas, coffees, fruits, vegetables, country produce, fresh, smoked, and salt meats, and poultry, oysters, fish and game in season. He is also a large buyer of country produce, for which the highest market price is paid. Particular attention is called to "Blanke's" celebrated blends of coffees in both package and bulk. This brand is known the country over as one which gives general satisfaction in flavor and aroma, and is used by judges of good coffee everywhere.

A very important feature of this business is the meat department. He makes a point of handling only the best of home killed and government inspected meats, and that the people of this city and vicinity appreciate his meat department is proven by the large patronage it receives. He makes his own sausage, renders his own lard, and makes a specialty of home made pork sausage made from pork. All purchases are delivered with his own wagons.

J. P. Hagey is a firm believer in Bowling Green, present and future, and he has reason to be, for he has been very successful here, each year of the five he has been in business for himself having shown a marked increase in the volume of trade over the preceding one.

The grocery and meat market of J. P. Hagey is at 130 Main street.



L. G. BRITE,
Staple and Fancy Groceries.

L. G. Brite, the well-known grocer of lower College street, was born and raised on a farm five miles from Bowling Green, and followed farming until five and a half years ago when he came to this city and established the first-class grocery he now conducts at 322 College street, between Third and Fourth streets. Each year since he has been in business here the trade has shown a marked increase over the preceding one, until today he has a large line of customers, not only in Bowling Green but from the surrounding farming country as well. He carries an excellent assortment of staple

and fancy groceries, canned goods, teas, coffees, fruits, vegetables, country produce, butter, eggs, cheese, nougat, fedd, bean, corn, straw, hay, oats, etc., and particular attention is given to high grade coffee, of which the "Perfection" blend in one pound cans is a leader. A specialty is made of country produce, which he buys in large quantities and pays the highest price for.

The meat department is worthy of special notice, and nothing is sold except the choicest meats, fresh, salt, and smoked. Oysters, fish and poultry are also carried in season, and he makes his own sausage and renders his own pure, home made lard. These are made in a warehouse at the rear of the store, part of which is also used

for storage purposes. All orders are delivered with his own wagons, and orders sent over the phone, New phone 420, old phone 94, receive prompt attention.

L. G. Brite is a firm believer in Bowling Green, and is ever ready to do all in his power to advance the interests of the city. He is a member of the City Council, representing the Second ward in that body.

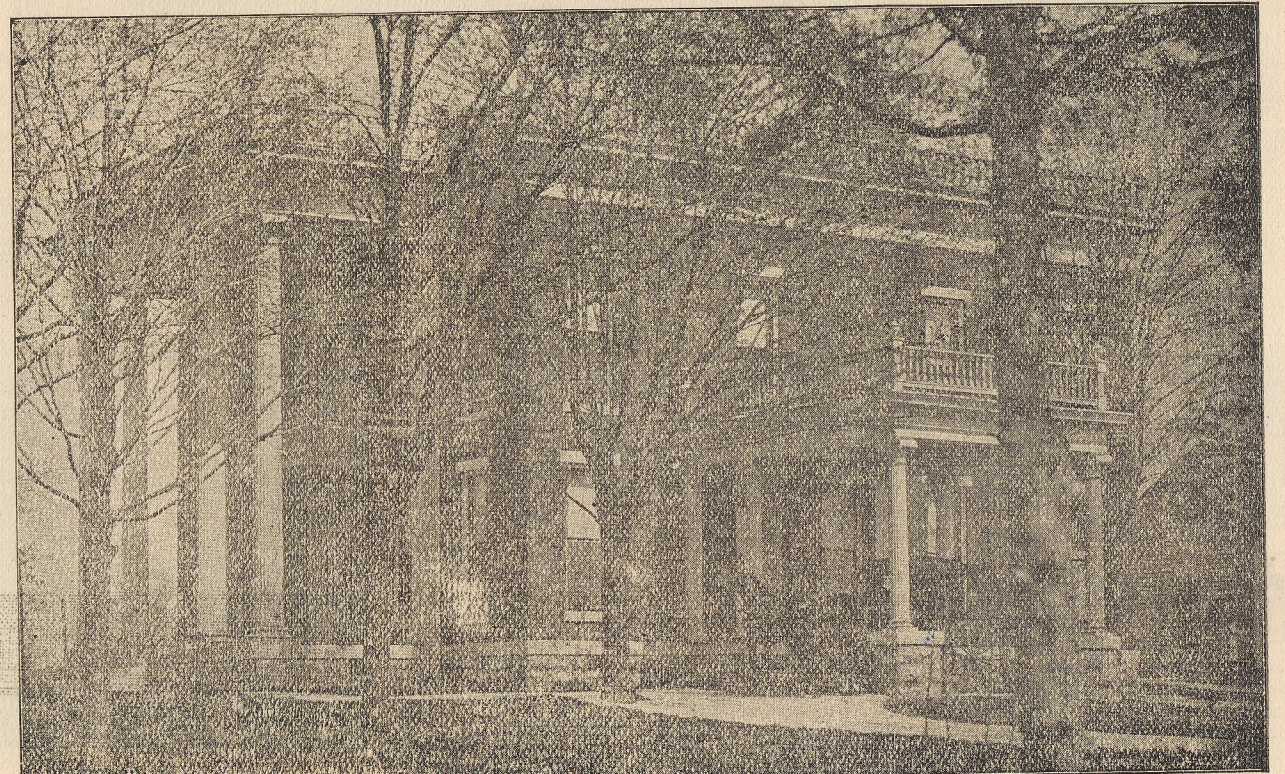
JOHN W. COLLINS,
Veteran Insurance Man.

There is probably no better known man in insurance, or business circles, in Bowling Green or Warren County, than John W. Collins, and certainly none more popular. He was born and reared in Barren County, Kentucky, but came to Warren County when a young man and taught in the county school before coming to Bowling Green over thirty years ago, and engaging in the insurance business. For fourteen years he represented the Home Insurance Company of New York. On December 1, 1910, he sold his insurance business, but so valuable had his services been to the Company, that he was prevailed upon to remain one year and assist the parties he had sold to.

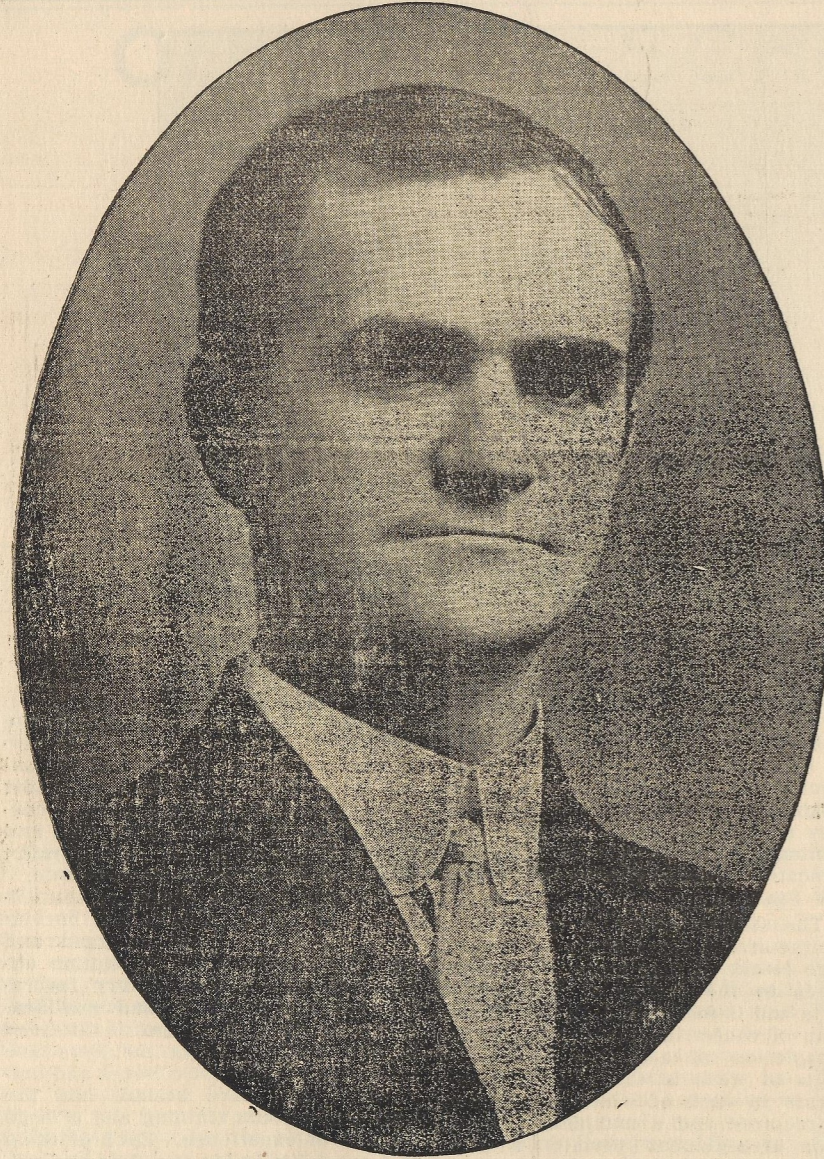
John W. Collins has lived in Bowling Green for so many years that he has become in a measure identified with the place, and, as he is a firm believer in the city, is ever ready to do all in his power to advance its interests. His office and headquarters are in the Neale Building, 937 State street.



THE WARREN COUNTY COURT HOUSE.



HOME OF THE HON. B. F. PROCTER.



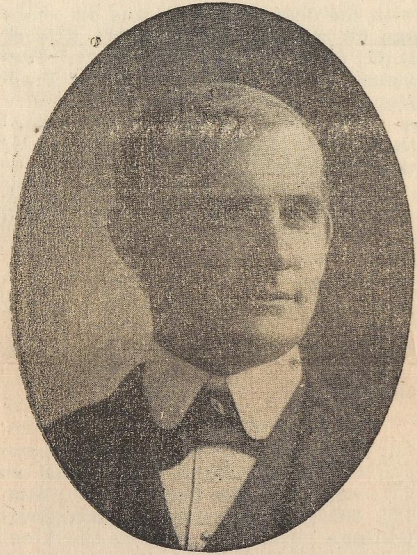
WILLIAM R. SPECK,
Master Commissioner.

Master Commissioner William R. Speck was born in Warren county, Kentucky, and obtained his early education in the common schools and at West Kentucky College, South Carolina, Kentucky. For twenty years he was connected with the Bowling Green Postoffice as carrier, clerk, assistant postmaster and postmaster,

and when the free delivery system was established here he was one of the first carriers to deliver a letter under that system.

During the later part of his employment in the postoffice he took up the study of law, and was admitted to the bar in 1895, since which time he has practiced his profession here.

In January, 1910, William R. Speck was appointed by Judge Moss Master Commissioner, assuming the duties of the office in April of the same year.



TANDY T. GARDNER,
Board Public Works.

Tandy T. Gardner was born at Oakland, Warren county, Kentucky, in 1865. He obtained his early education in the county schools, and later gradu-

ated from the Southern Normal School, then of this city. His school days over, he taught in the county schools and the Southern Normal School, and for eight years held the position of County Superintendent of Schools. He has resided in Bowling Green for fourteen years.

In December, 1909, he was appointed a member of the Board of Public Works by Mayor Townsend, which official position he now holds.

MARTIN DE VRIES,
Board Public Works.

Martin De Vries was born in Holland, and came to this country, locating in Bowling Green, in 1871. He has been in the bakery business practically all his life. In 1902, he served one term on the City Council, refusing a second term. In December, 1909, he was appointed a member of the Board of Public Works, by Mayor Townsend, and assumed the duties of the office December 6, 1909.

A city will prosper in proportion to the thrift and enterprise of its citizens. A good town cannot be made with drones.

R. C. POSEY

City Treasurer.

R. E. Posey, City Treasurer of Bowling Green, was born in Warren County, Kentucky, three and one-half miles west of this city. He obtained his education in the county schools and the schools of this city. He came to Bowling Green in 1889, and has been engaged in the retail grocery business for a number of years. In 1909, he was appointed City Treasurer, by Mayor Townsend and the City Council, and assumed the duties of the office on December 20, of that year.

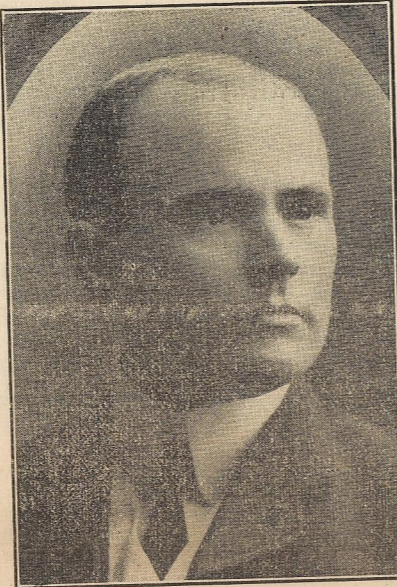
R. C. POSEY.

Staple and Fancy Groceries.

R. C. Posey is one of the best known grocers in Bowling Green, and came here in 1889. For five years he traveled for a wholesale grocery house, and for seventeen years has been in the retail grocery business in this city. For the last two years he has occupied his present store at 1023 State street, which is 38 x 170 feet in area, and well stocked with a fine assortment of staple and fancy groceries, canned goods, teas, coffees, flour, baked goods, fruits, vegetables, country produce, feed, etc. One of his specialties is fine coffees, and he calls particular attention to the "Cheek & Neale" line of coffees, "Maxwell House" blend, "Monogram," and "Hotel Special," all blends of delicious flavor and delightful aroma.

The meat department of this store is a very important feature of the business, and nothing but government inspected meats is sold. R. C. Posey has gained a reputation for his choice meats, and the all pork sausage which he makes himself. He also carries oysters and fresh fish in season.

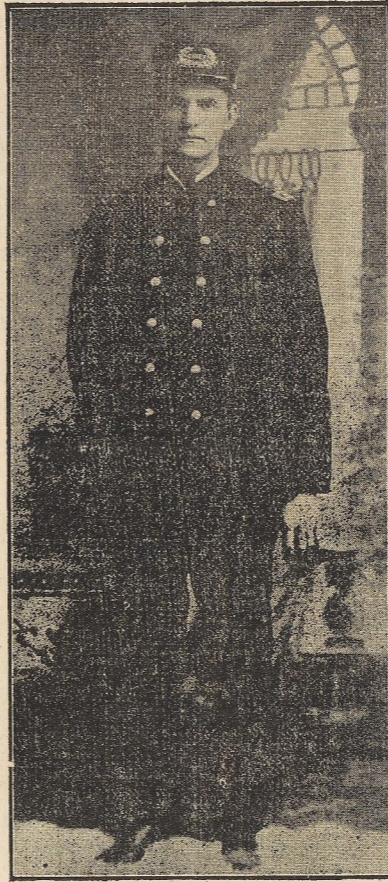
The store is equipped with everything necessary to facilitate the workings of the business including an electric and a "New National Refrigerator," known as the best in the world for keeping fresh meats in prime condition. All orders are delivered by his own wagons, and the same attention is given telephone as personal orders.



J. F. CALLIS.
Board Public Works.

J. F. Callis was born at Alvaton, Warren county, Kentucky, where he obtained his education in the county schools. He moved to Bowling Green in 1897, since which time he has been engaged in the retail drug business.

In December, 1909, he was appointed a member of the Board of Public Works, by Mayor Townsend, which official position he now holds.



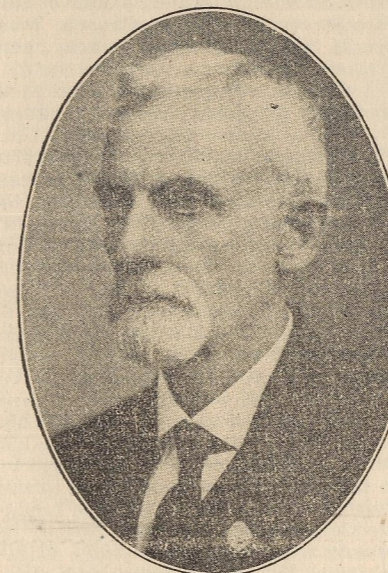
JOE RONE.
Chief of Police.

Chief of Police Joe Rone was born in Morgantown, Butler County, Kentucky, January 6, 1860, and moved to Warren County, sixteen miles north of Bowling Green, with his parents when one year old, and has lived in the county ever since. He attended the county schools, and for eight years worked along the river with timber and other firms. He was married when he was twenty-four years of age, and from that time until three years ago lived on a farm, and ran a saw mill. He came to Bowling Green on September 17, 1908, and purchased property deciding to make this his future home. In December, 1909, he was appointed Chief of Police, by Mayor Townsend, and took up the duties of the office December 20th of that year. He has associated with him eight regular patrolmen, and one in charge of the chain-gang.

During the little over a year that he has held the position, Chief Rone has made a perceptible "cleaning up" in the city, and it is generally acknowledged that Bowling Green was never more free from disorders and crime than now. He believes in giving everybody a fair chance, but has no time, or sympathy, for the habitual criminal or chronic evil-doers. In his work he is ably assisted by the patrolmen under his charge.

W. H. MYERS,
County Assessor.

W. H. Myers, County Assessor of Warren County, was born in Barren county, Kentucky, and moved to Warren county, with his parents, when three years of age. His education was obtained in the country schools, and at Ogden College. He taught in the schools of the county for twelve years, and served as Deputy Sheriff for six years, and in November, 1909, was elected Assessor of Warren county, assuming the duties of the office in January, 1910.



D. B. DEARING,
General Contractor and Builder.

D. B. Dearing, the well known contractor and builder, was born in Allen county, Kentucky, but has resided in Bowling Green for thirty-five years, thirty-two years of which time he has lived in one house. He has been in the general contracting business since 1869, during which time he has built many of the fine residences and business blocks in this city and the surrounding country, among other places Smith Grove, Ky., where he constructed practically every large building. In one year he erected forty-five residences in this city alone. He recently completed the reconstruction of the old Potter College building for the Western Kentucky State Normal School.

D. B. Dearing contracts for, and erects buildings of every description, and is ready at all times to give estimates for structures in this city or away from here, and entire satisfaction is always guaranteed.

He served four years as a justice of the Peace, and in November, 1909, was elected City Assessor, which official position he holds at the present time.

BOOST YOUR TOWN ALWAYS.

Did you ever consider that every time you refuse to help in boosting your own town, that the progressive fellow in the next town is boosting his, and then we wonder why some towns grow so rapidly why we do not.



ELVIS C. SMITH,
Clerk, Warren County.

Elvis C. Smith, Clerk Warren County Court, was born in Warren county, Kentucky, near Oakland, and, with the exception of a short time, has resided in this county all his life. His education was obtained in the county schools, and later he was, for a time, engaged in the tobacco business in Louisville, Ky. Returning to Warren county he engaged in farming, after which he was in the livery business in this city for four years. In 1902, he was appointed Deputy County Clerk, Warren County court, taking over the duties of the office January 1, 1910.

County Clerk Smith has been in the office as deputy and clerk for so long a time, that he has become thoroughly familiar with all the business of the office, and since he has had charge of the position himself has proven a painstaking, efficient official.



JUDGE MCKENZIE MOSS,
Circuit Court Judge.

Judge McKenzie Moss was born on a farm in Christian county, Kentucky, January 3, 1868. He completed the common school course and then entered the Kent Law School of Chicago, Ill., from which he graduated in the class of 1893. In September, 1893, he came to Bowling Green, and has practiced his profession here since. He was nominated and elected to Congress from this, the Third Congressional District in 1900, and served one term. Judge Moss was married in 1895 to Miss Mamie Brewer, of Danville, Kentucky. They have three children, two daughters and one son.

In November, 1909, he was elected Judge of the Eighth Judicial District, comprising the counties of Warren, Allen, Butler and Edmonson, and assumed the duties of the office January 1, 1910.



OUR COUNTY SCHOOLS,
Emery H. White, Supt.

Emery H. White, Superintendent Warren County Schools, was born near Three Forks, Warren county, Kentucky, January 27, 1863. His education was obtained in the county schools, Smiths Grove College—now Warren Academy—and at the Southern Normal School in Bowling Green. He then taught in the county schools for nineteen years, and up to the time he was elected County Superintendent of Schools of Warren County, in November, 1905. He assumed the duties of the office in January, 1906, and gave such universal satisfaction, that he was re-elected in 1909. Both times that he was a candidate he had no opposition at either primaries or elections.

Supt. White has charge of all the schools in Warren county outside of the city of Bowling Green, these numbering eighty-one white schools and eighteen colored schools, in charge of eighty-three white teachers, and eighteen colored teachers, and it is safe to say that the educational system of the county was never in better condition than it is now.

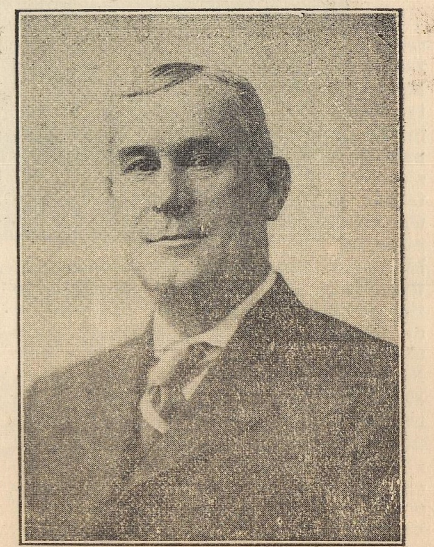
Under the new system, inaugurated during Superintendent's white's administration, great improvements have been made, seven new school buildings have been erected, and thirty-six old buildings have been remodeled.

The new buildings are modern and sanitary in every way. The general equipment and apparatus in all the schools is good, and in eight of them there has been installed Western, Waterbury heating plants, which are giving general satisfaction. Each year an appropriation is set aside for new school buildings, and each year the worst ones are being replaced by new ones, so that in the course of a few years all the old school buildings will give way for new and modern ones.

The enrollment of the county schools (outside Bowling Green), is about four thousand, and great interest is manifested in this army of children by the hundred and over teachers who have them in charge, and these teachers, both individually and collectively, are every ready and willing to aid Superintendent White in his work.

Three years ago the work of systematically grading the county schools was begun, so that today a pupil in a certain grade in a county school, has exactly the same standing in the city school. A few years ago there were seventeen scholars who had graduated from the eighth grade, in the county probably reach seventy-five. From diplomas; this year the number will be schools, and received common school 1906, to 1910, inclusive, one hundred and sixty-two have received these common school diplomas.

We believe that this brief story of the county schools will be read by many who heretofore have had no idea of the magnitude of the Warren county school system, and that it will, in an interesting manner, open the eyes of many to the wonderful progress that is being made in the schools outside of the city of Bowling Green.



O. A. ROUP,
Clerk Warren Circuit Court.

O. A. Roup, clerk Warren Circuit Court, was born at Greencastle, Warren county, Kentucky, July 20, 1859, and obtained the greater part of his education at Ogden College. He was later admitted to the bar, but never practiced his profession, entering newspaper work instead, and was employed upon different local papers up to the time he was elected Police Judge in 1905, which office he held for four years. In November, 1909, he was elected to the office of Clerk of Warren Circuit Court, for a term of six years, and assumed the duties of the office in January, 1910.



A. C. DULANEY,
City Prosecuting Attorney.

Attorney A. C. Dulaney was born in Bowling Green, and obtained his early education in the city schools and Ogden College, graduating from the last named institution in 1902. In the same year he went to Texas, and while there attended the University of Texas at Austin, and graduated from the Law Department in 1906. Returning to Bowling Green he began the practice of his profession here in July of that year, and has been here since. He was a member of the Board of Education for one year and a half, which position he resigned when he became a candidate for City Prosecuting Attorney, to which office he was elected in November 1909 for a term of four years.

Attorney Dulaney has proven himself a capable official, and has made many friends by his evident fairness and earnestness in handling the cases that come under his charge.

If you are interested in Bowling Green; if you are interested in your business, you will naturally be interested in our big "Industrial" edition, and do all in your power to aid us in making it a success.



BOWLING GREEN FIRE DEPARTMENT IN READINESS TO MAKE A RUN.

W. J. HENDRICKS,
Chief, Fire Department.

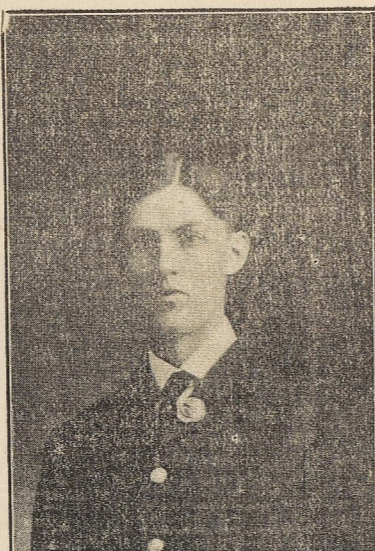
W. J. Hendrick, Chief of the Bowling Green Fire Department, was born on a farm in Oakland, Warren County, Kentucky, and obtained his early education in the county schools. He remained on the farm until he was 28 years of age, when he moved to Bowling Green. On November 24, 1902, he was appointed a member of the City Fire Department, and for two years held the position of Captain. In December, 1909, he was appointed by Mayor Townsend, Chief of the Department, which position he now holds.

He has proven a very efficient head in every way and the fire department as it is conducted today is one we have reason to feel very proud of.

The Bowling Green Fire Department is housed in a large, modern brick building, 80 x 100 feet, and of two stories. It is equipped with excellent fire fighting apparatus including two combination wagons, hook and ladder truck, two hand reels, and the chiefs

buggy. Seven horses are used, and are kept in large, open box stalls. The alarm and call systems are of the latest, while the large front doors open automatically. The second floor is all newly fitted and furnished, and includes the men's sleeping quarters, which are kept as clean and sanitary as the wards in an hospital, showing conclusively the interest the men take in their surroundings. In addition, on this floor, are the lounging and reading room, the store room, the lavatory, and tub and shower baths. The department is a paid one, and includes ten men in addition to Chief Hendrick.

The firemen, without exception, take a personal interest in their work, and are every ready to do all in their power to aid the chief in the various duties connected with the department. The names of the members of the Bowling Green Fire Department are, W. J. Hendrick, Chief, Eugene Barnett, Captain and Assistant Chief, Thomas Ellis, Captain, John J. Potter, Captain, and C. B. Dodd, Lucien Graham, Lucien Garrison, Oscar Thomas, S. B. Blankenship, J. C. Graham, Neale



Potter and David Harrison.

BOWLING GREEN WHITE STONE
Company of Kentucky.

One of the most prominent industries of Warren county is that of quarrying the vast deposits of its splendid Oolitic limestone, and the leader in this industry is the Bowling Green White Stone Co., of Kentucky, with its highly developed quarries near Bowling Green.

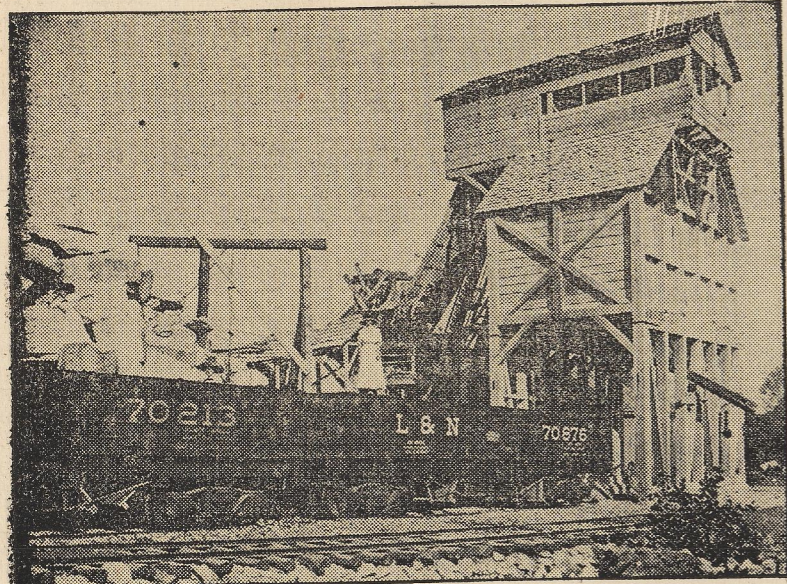
This company is fully abreast of the times, in that it is first in the field with modern equipment to meet the two most rapidly growing demands of the farmers of this section of the Southland; viz., Good Roads and Good Crops.

The Company has just completed the installation of a most modern and up-to-date crushing and pulverizing plant for the production of Lime Meal for fertilizing purposes, and is ap-

various work, such as ballast, concrete asked by the manufacturers of commercial fertilizers, which force a growth without curing the evil—A Sour Soil.

A photograph is here shown of the immense crushing and grinding plant of the Bowling Green White Stone Co., and the process of crushing its road material and grinding the Lime Meal is very interesting.

The limestone is blasted from the cars and drawn by cable up an incline where it is dumped and fed into the hopper. The crushed stone, in sizes from three inches down, emerges from the crusher at its base and is then caught in an automatic belt conveyor and elevated to the great revolving screen, which is placed above the bins. This screen automatically sorts the crushed stone into the sizes required for the



BOWLING GREEN POST OFFICE.
J. Tom Doores, Postmaster.

There is no more important factor in the progress of a city than good postal facilities, and in this respect Bowling Green is indeed fortunate, for it is undoubtedly the aim of the postmaster and his assistants to make the service as efficient as possible and to extend every courtesy to the letter receiving public. With the completion of the new postoffice building, which will cost about one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars and be constructed of stone, and for which the appropriation has been made, the site purchased, and the contract let, Bowling Green will be in a position to boast one of the most modern and convenient government buildings in the county, and the removal of the postoffice business from the present crowded quarters to large, commodious ones will naturally improve the already excellent service.

The postoffice here receives daily eleven mails, and despatches thirteen mails, in addition to which there are four Star Routes. There are two deliveries in the residence section daily, and three deliveries in the business section. The last delivery in the business section is made at 6:45 p. m., thus giving the merchants the benefit of all mails received up to 3:15 p. m. The city is covered by six carriers, while the country adjacent is taken care of by five rural free delivery carriers. The general delivery window is open from 7:30 a. m., to 7:00 p. m.; the stamp window from 7:30 a. m. to 8:00 p. m., and the money order department from 8:00 a. m., to 6:00 p. m. Stamp and general delivery window is open on Sundays and holidays from 8:00 to 9:00 a. m. An all night mailing

service is maintained, mail being received and dispatched by night as well as by day.

Postmaster J. Tom Doores was born in Logan county, Kentucky, near Auburn, in 1870. He was born on a farm, a very poor farm, and his prospects looked anything but rosy.

What little education he got was obtained in the country schools of Logan county, and this he supplemented with self study during the little leisure time he found while working to earn a living. When but seventeen years old he traveled with a two-horse wagon, selling a patent farm implement. This vocation he followed for two years. At nineteen years of age he came to Bowling Green, his worldly possessions on his back and a little change in his pocket. He worked at the carpenter's trade for a little over one year, or until January, 1891, when he went to work at the L. & N. shops here and remained until June, 1896. In that year he opened a grocery store in this city, which he conducted for about one year, after which he was engaged in the wholesale liquor business, both here and in Nashville, until July, 1909. On December 1, 1910, he was appointed Postmaster, assuming the duties of the office on December 9, of the same year.

Postmaster Doores has associated with him in the office, Mrs. Ida M. Turner, assistant postmaster, J. E. Gadd, stamp clerk; E. P. Lashmit and E. M. Hightower, mailing clerks; A. G. Rowe, general delivery clerk; V. N. Kuykendall, night mailing clerk. The city carriers are: Will B. Follis, H. H. Carter, C. W. Follis, E. I. Smith, W. C. Campbell, I. R. Landers; substitute, G. H. Mason. The rural carriers are: Joe W. Carr, R. E. Lively, C. E. Haner, Charles W. Merritt, J. E. Moyers.

B. H. DALTON,

Artistic Photography.

That the making of artistic photographs is now acknowledged as a profession peculiar to itself is not to be wondered at. Almost anybody with a camera can take a picture, but in the proper posing of the subject, the correct arrangement of drapery, the necessary conditions of light and shade, the fineness of detail, an artistic hand and eye are factors not to be overlooked.

B. H. Dalton has been in the photograph business for fourteen years, and understands it in all its details. Two years ago he purchased the studio formerly conducted by Edgar Casey, and since that time has resided here.

He makes photographs of all descriptions, both inside and outside, but makes a specialty of fine studio work, and he has gained an enviable reputation for the superiority of workmanship and finish of his photographs. His baby pictures cannot be excelled in any of the large cities. He also frames pictures to order and carries a large assortment of mouldings and art frames, and develops work for amateurs.

During the two years that he has been in Bowling Green his business has shown a splendid increase, and today he is freely acknowledged as the leading photographer of Warren county. A large majority of the half tone engravings used in this edition are reproduced from photographs taken by him.

The studio of B. H. Dalton is at 930½ State street.

RICHESON & MARTIN,

The New Grocers.

The new and up-to-date grocery now conducted by J. M. Richeson and R. W. Martin, under the firm name of Richeson & Martin, was established some years ago by R. W. Temple, and after his death the business was continued by the widow until February 1, last, when it was purchased from her by the present owners. They have given the store a general cleaning up, put in a new stock of groceries, etc., and are now offering the public an exceptionally fine line of staple and fancy groceries, canned goods, teas, coffees, fresh, salt and smoked meats, country produce, etc. They also buy country produce of all kinds. All orders are promptly delivered by their own wagons.

Richeson & Martin do a strictly cash business, not only selling for cash, but buying for cash. In this manner they can purchase at rock-bottom prices, and obtain the benefits of all discounts, which saving they in every case give their customers the benefit of. In the short time they have been in business the patronage they have received has been very satisfactory, and their aim is to so treat their customers so that there will be an increase in business each month. Their store is at 134 Main street, next door to the Potter House.

BOWLING GREEN QUARRIES CO.

An Important Industry.

The extensive quarries of the Bowling Green Quarries Co., covering about one hundred acres, are located about five miles west of this city, and from them are obtained the celebrated Green River White Lime Stone. This stone has no superior on the market today, and is in great demand for building and monumental purposes.

The quarries were opened in 1908, and in January, 1909, the present company was incorporated. The volume of business from the first has been very pronounced. The output the second year of its working existence doubled that of the first year; last year the output was larger than the two previous years, and from present indications and advance orders, this year's output will be more than in the last three years, truly a wonderful showing for so comparatively young an industry, and one which proves conclusively the exceptional quality of the stone quarried.

The quarry is equipped with all new and modern machinery, and extensive improvements are now in contemplation. The stone when ready for shipment is loaded on barges owned by the company and towed to Bowling Green, from where it is shipped to all parts of the country, the larger portion however, going south.

Samuel Pickles, Vice President, Treasurer and General Manager of the company, is in charge, and to his energy and business methods is largely due the great success the Bowling Green Quarries Co. is now having.

CIVIC PRIDE.

A Necessary Attribute.

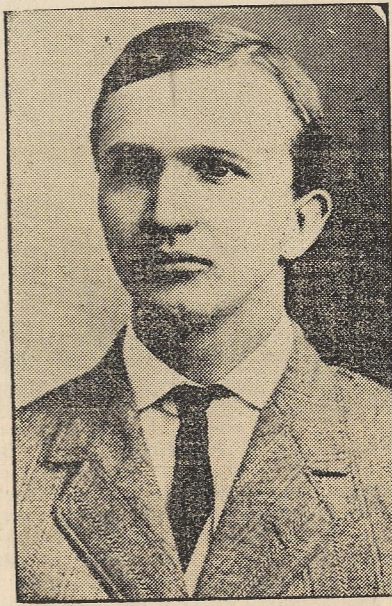
One of the traits of a wide-awake, progressive town is civic pride. It is a good trait, for while sometimes it leads one into making slightly exaggerated statements, yet in the main it is a good healthy feeling for the individual, and at all times conducive to the prosperity and growth of his city. It makes one vigorous in defense and persistent in undertakings; it is an incentive to industry; it makes the individual contented and therefore happy. Believe in your town and talk your belief. If you have any old fogies remember they are in the minority, and that it takes all kinds of people to make a world anyway. Encourage live people to move in my making it worth their while. Welcome outside capital in developing any natural resources the town has. Don't begrudge the dollars the enterprising man makes, but hustle around and collar a few yourself. Above all "pull together," and the town will ride the high wave of prosperity over the most discouraging breakers, and every inhabitant will get his or her share of the profit from the voyage.

Come to Bowling Green, Ky. Best town on earth.

L. B. JONES,

Attorney at Law.

Attorney L. B. Jones was born in Hanson, Hopkins county, Kentucky, but moved to Webster county with his parents when five years of age. His early education was obtained in the country schools, and the High School at Dixon, Kentucky, from which he graduated. He finished his education at the Southern Normal

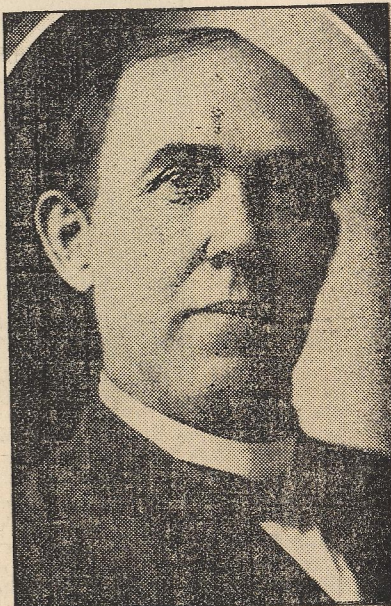


LON D. HANES.

Real Estate and Insurance.

Lon D. Hanes, the well known real estate and insurance agent, has lived in Bowling Green for the past twenty-two years, and for twelve years has been in the real estate and insurance business, for five years past occupying the present offices at 931 State street, new phone No. 9.

He buys, sells and exchanges both



Wm. E. PILLSBURY,

Real Estate and Insurance.

Wm. E. Pillsbury, one of our best known real estate and insurance men, was born and reared in this city, and has always lived here.

He obtained his education in the schools of this city, and has been engaged in the real estate and insurance business for over twelve years. He buys, sells, exchanges and rents property in both city and country, and makes a specialty of the collection of rentals. He is a prompt collector, and attends to all business entrusted to him with the same care and attention as if it was his own property.

In connection with his real estate business he conducts a progressive Fire Insurance agency, and represents some of the strongest and most reliable companies in the world, among them the "Royal Insurance Company (Limited) of Liverpool, the Westchester Insurance Company of New York, and The London Assurance Corporation of England, companies who settle all losses promptly, and a policy in any of them is as good property as government bonds. He has a convenient office in the Neale Building, 937 State street, New phone 44, old phone 56, where he can be found during business hours.

Wm. E. Pillsbury has always taken for nearly five years he has been secretary of the Board of Education, and has made an exceedingly efficient and painstaking officer.

MANY CUTS USED

By Courtesy Times-Journal.

Quite a number of the cuts, or illustrations, in this edition, are used through the kindness and courtesy of our esteemed contemporary, and neighbor, The Times-Journal, which not only believes itself in boosting Bowling Green—without doubt the best city in southern Kentucky—but as well as willing to aid us in doing so.

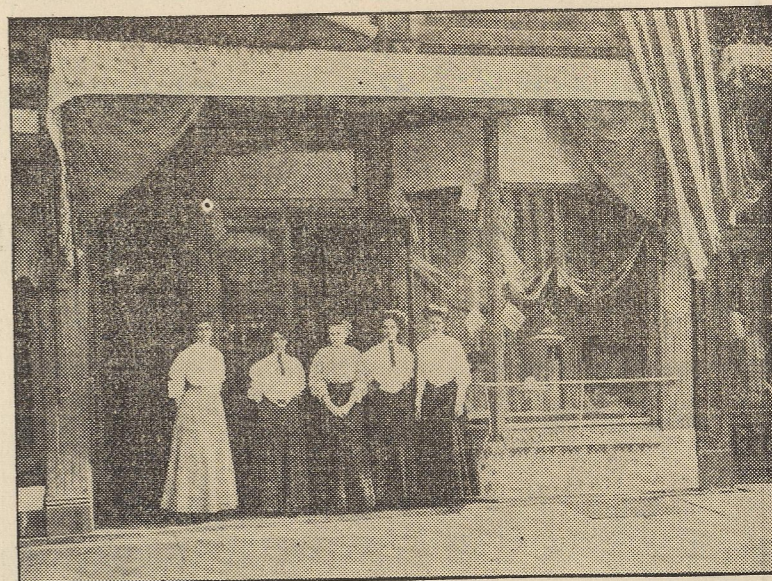
Come to Bowling Green, Ky. Best town on earth.

DEMMOND & SLOYER,

Leaders in Millinery.

This popular millinery business was established in 1904, by the present proprietors.

It is the aim of this establishment to carry an exclusive line of fine millinery not to be found elsewhere, and most of the designs are original in both style and shape. The New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and other markets



are visited each season, and the best that can be found in imported, and New York exclusive pattern and tailor-made hats are brought to Bowling Green for the approval of the critical lady customers of the Demmond & Sloyer millinery parlors. It is no uncommon occurrence for the ultra-fashionable to go to Louisville and other

cities, and after inspecting the millinery exhibits there, return to Bowling Green and make their selections from this establishment, at much lower prices for the same quality and style, for it can readily be seen that in large cities where taxes and rentals are high, and living expenses exorbitant, profits must of necessity be greater than in a city like Bowling Green.

In addition to the millinery, a complete assortment of hair goods is carried.

The millinery parlors are very artistic in appearance and arrangement, and gives one the impression of a store in one of the metropolitan cities. The spring stock will soon be on exhibition, and a cordial invitation is then extended to the ladies of this city and vicinity to visit the Demmond & Sloyer store at 444 Main street.

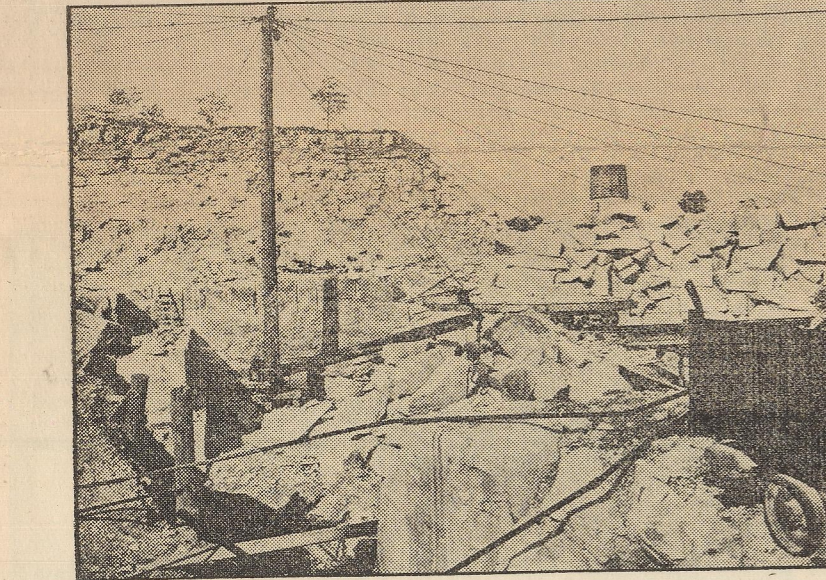
massive that its capacity of eighty tons per day is already too small to meet the requirements of those farmers who have learned of the wonderful effects produced by the application of Lime Meal (or powdered limestone) to the soil, particularly with reference to clover, alfalfa and the grasses.

The "growing of two blades of grass where only one grew before" is indeed a worthy accomplishment, but think what it means to the vast multitude who, by so doing double the results of their toil and endeavor. And to think that it can undoubtedly be accomplished with so little effort and at such slight expense, as the application of such cheap and ordinary material as this pulverized limestone!

The Bowling Green White Stone Co. has spent many thousands of dollars for the equipment necessary for the production of Lime Meal, but it does

stone and road topplings, and distributes each size to its separate bin. The smaller particles of stone are then conveyed, as above described, to the grinding mill where they are pulverized into Lime Meal and then re-created and conveyed again to the storage bins from which it is loaded into cars for shipment. Lime Meal is not treated in any other way than as above described, and has no chemical properties not already contained in the limestone in its natural state. It is Nature's own fertilizer, and its pulverization merely hastens results by rendering its absorption by the soil more rapid.

The limestone at the Bowling Green White Stone Co.'s quarries is nearly 99 per cent pure carbonate of lime, and it is this element which has been found so beneficial in enhancing the growth of clover, alfalfa and all grass-

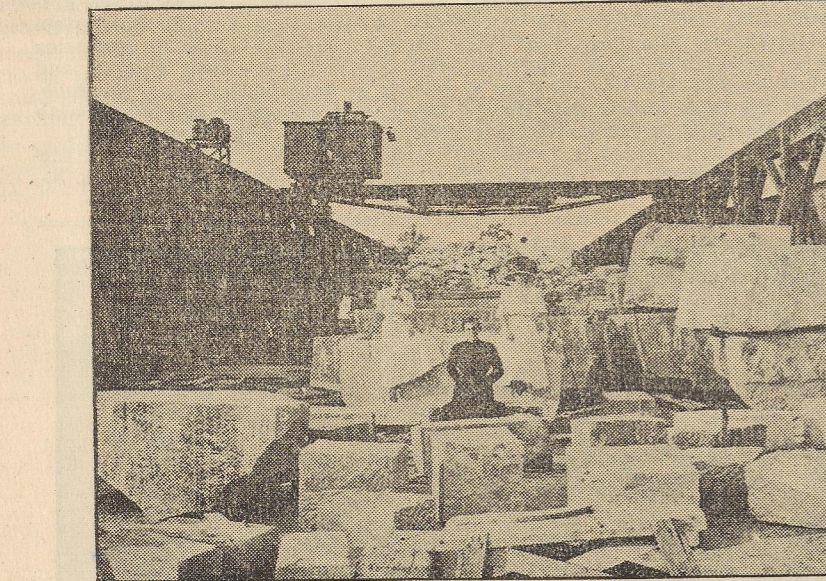


not require a long look into the future to see that it was the part of wisdom to be thus prepared for a demand which, in a few years time, will be so great that no one of us would have dreamed it possible.

The Bowling Green White Stone Co. has investigated the use of this Lime Meal in various localities, and finds that in Pennsylvania and near the large Eastern cities, on account of an inadequate supply of high grade limestone, meal sells for the ridiculously high price of twenty or thirty dollars per ton. That is in a region where the right kind of limestone is scarce or where transportation facilities are not good, but it only goes to show that the thrifty and "intense" farmers of those sections have learned that it "makes good" and they are therefore willing to pay a price as great as that

The farmers of Kentucky and Tennessee are to be congratulated in having this most valuable material so near at hand, and should be quick to realize their advantage over the farmers of sections more remote from these quarries, who know the merits of Lime Meal and are willing to pay the higher freight charges. A visit to the quarries and mill is most interesting and the Company's officers are always glad to send visitors around and explain the details of the manufacture of Lime Meal.

The Company has also prepared a little pamphlet on the subject of acid soils and the curative properties of Lime Meal, which it will be glad to send to anyone interested, upon request to its Bowling Green, Ky., office.



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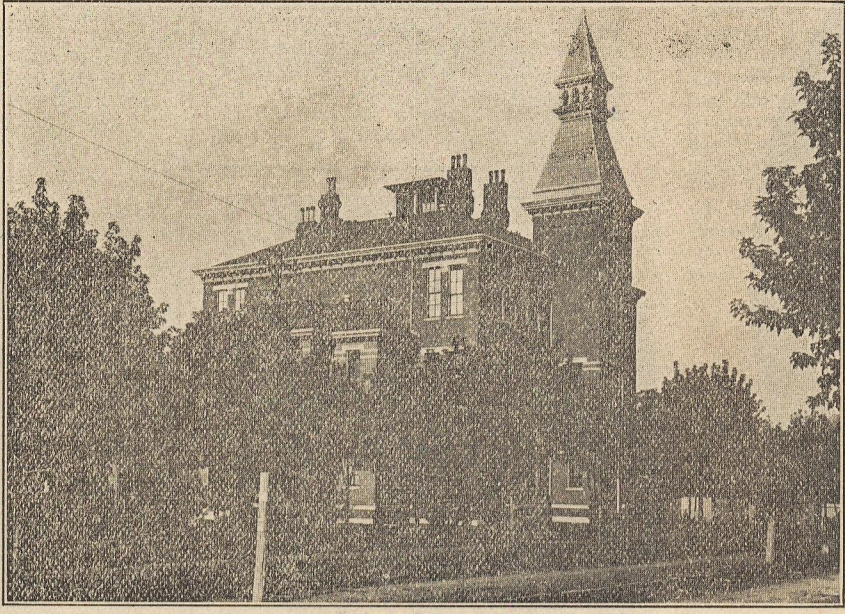
The publisher of the News feels justly pleased at the large assortment of engravings in this edition, for they give an idea of the city of Bowling Green and its advantages, never before attempted, and are interesting, not alone to our residents here, but should

also appeal to anybody seeking a beautiful city for a home.

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Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Boost your town always.

OUR CITY SCHOOLS



COLLEGE STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING.

THE BOWLING GREEN CITY SCHOOLS.

Our Educational System.

Bowling Green has reason indeed to be proud of its educational system, for but few places of like population are as well equipped to care for and instruct the youthful mind in its paths that lead to the upbuilding of honorable men and women, and to lives of usefulness and respect, and should perchance any of the many pupils who are now attending the Bowling Green schools ever fall from the paths of rectitude they can never lay the blame to any lack of interest manifested in them by Superintendent Cherry and his corps of conscientious assistants.

The early history of the Bowling Green schools is shrouded in uncertainty, as is the history of all institutions of long standing where no attempt has been made to keep an official record.

It is known however, that the first school teacher in Bowling Green was Alexander Lenny, who, when twenty-three years old, reached here on June 3, 1806, by stage coach. He was originally on an emigrant boat, one of a fleet of nineteen which sailed up and down the Ohio river, and its tributaries, among them Green and Barren rivers, and of which fleet Major John Parker, of Lexington, Kentucky, was both Admiral and Pilot. What turned his footsteps to the then infant settlement of Bowling Green history does not tell us, but we do know that during the summer of 1806, and the ensuing winter, he taught school in Bowling Green in a house, or cabin, near the river front.

The first school that was established in Bowling Green that we have any knowledge of was in the summer of 1806, and was held in a rough log cabin. The town and county were then sparsely settled and the scholars few and far between. The building was built of round logs and covered with clapboards, and was about sixteen feet square. One half of the floor was covered with planks hewed from logs, the other half was naked earth. There were no desks and the equipment was exceedingly simple and primitive. A rough board was placed along one side of the building and was supported by pins driven into auger holes in one of the logs. This was made for the accommodation of such scholars as were far enough advanced to take writing lessons. Benches made of wide rails into which pins or stakes were driven into auger holes as legs, and these constituted the seats, while a rough table, behind which the master sat in stern dignity, with a book in hand, completed the furniture of the school.

It is to be regretted that for many years the educational facilities of Bowling Green as well as a great portion of the entire State of Kentucky—continued in a very primitive condition, and it may be truthfully said that only within the past six years have really radical changes been made in our city school system. During this period, however, and particularly in the past five or five years, wonderful strides have been made in the right direction, until today the schools of Bowling Green are well up in the front ranks and compare favorably with any in the State from an advanced educational standpoint.

The school buildings of Bowling Green are four in number, being the

College Street School, Center Street, or High School, Training School, and State Street School (colored). All are of brick construction and are as sanitary as any in the State.

The splendid modern building at the corner of Center and Eighth streets, with its system of unilateral lighting, steam heat and ventilation, furnishes up-to-date quarters for the High School. The rooms have been equipped with the ideal adjustable seats and desks and the most modern apparatus for teaching. A splendid laboratory has been equipped and other apparatus is being added as the needs require.

The old Potter College building has been prepared for a Training School and will be used jointly with the Normal School.

The creation of a suitable high school reading and reference library has already begun and will be continued until it is large, well selected and well equipped. Already several hundred volumes have been procured and as many more will be added during the present year. The pupils will be instructed in the best use of this library for developing power and for cultural purposes, and arrangements are now being made to the end that there will be a library in every class room.

The enrollment of the Bowling Green schools for 1909-1910, was sixteen hundred and sixty-five, one hundred and twenty-four of whom were in the white and colored High Schools.

So high is the standing of the High School that graduates are admitted to all colleges and universities without further examination.

Any Bowling Green or Warren county girl or boy who resides in the city or any county sub-district, and who is ready for high school work, may enter free of charge. Any one who has finished the eighth grade of school work, or its equivalent, and who is ready for an examination by the county superintendent and can give satisfactory evidence of qualification, may be appointed to the High School; or, any one who has already passed an examination and secured a common school diploma or certificate is ready, and may be appointed.

The arrangement between the county and city for the free tuition of all non-resident high school students insures a very large and enthusiastic body of earnest pupils.

None but highly educated and experienced teachers who are specialists are employed to teach in the High School.

The present Board of Education is to be congratulated upon the recent improvements made to the school buildings, and are gentlemen who are ever ready to assist the Superintendent and teachers in their work, and while conservative and economical, yet believe in giving the schools the best of everything for the advancement of the pupils.

Superintendent of Schools T. C. Cherry was born in Warren county, Kentucky, eight miles from Bowling Green, and obtained his early education in the county schools. After he was twenty-one years of age he attended the Southern Normal School for parts of five years, and was graduated in 1890, with the degree of A. B. For ten years thereafter he taught school, most of the time at Acadia College, Crowley, La., and for three years was president of that institution. He then, with his brother Professor H. H. Cherry—now president

of the Western Kentucky State Normal School—had joint charge of the Southern Normal School and Business College. During this time he obtained leave of absence and for three years took post-graduate courses at Westchester State Normal School, Westchester, Pa., and Harvard University. Returning, he resumed the work with his brother and continued for two years, at the end of which time he was elected superintendent of the Bowling Green City Schools, in which position he is now serving his sixth year. During the time he has been in charge of the schools Superintendent Cherry has proven himself to be the right man for the place, and there has been a marked improvement in the schools from every viewpoint.

Superintendent Cherry has associated with him a corps of instructors, every one of whom is deeply interested in the work, taking a personal interest in the welfare of each and every pupil under their charge, hence the high moral and educational standing of the Bowling Green schools.

All the high school teachers, and practically all of the grade teachers are graduates of either universities, colleges, or normal schools, and many of them are now taking additional summer courses.

The Board of Education and teachers are:

Board of Education.
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Teachers and Grades For 1910-1911.
T. C. Cherry, Superintendent.
High School—Center Street.

E. A. Sigler, Principal, Science and Modern Languages.
Miss Nina McGinnis, Latin and Mathematics.

Miss Sarah Gilbert, English and History.

M. W. Crawley, Special Branches.

Grades—Center Street.

Miss Mary Dishman, Assistant Principal, Seventh Grade.

Miss Lillian Lewis, Eighth Grade.

Miss Mary Hobson, Seventh and Eighth Grades.

Mrs. Jennie Spalding, Seventh Grade.

Miss Maud Wright, Sixth Grade.

Miss Kate Howell, Sixth Grade.

College Street School.

Miss Ada Peart, Principal, Second Grade.

Miss Lydia Flenniken, Fourth Grade.

Miss Sallie McElroy, Third Grade.

Mrs. Virginia Redmon, Third Grade.

Miss Ethel Douglas, Second and Third Grades.

Miss Anna Campbell, Second Grade.

Miss Lucie Holeman, First Grade.

Mrs. Lula Cole, Fourth Grade.

Miss Josephine Drake, Fifth Grade.

Miss Annie Barclay, First Grade.

Training School.

Miss Belle Caffee, First Grade.

Miss Louise Bessley, Second Grade.

Miss Jennie West, Third Grade.

Miss Flora Stallard, Fourth Grade.

Miss Sue Proctor, Fifth Grade.

Miss Sarah E. Todd, Sixth Grade.

Miss Laura Frazee, Supervising and Critic Teacher.

Special Teachers.

Miss Mary Aimitage, Vocal Music.

State Street School (Colored.)

C. T. Cook, Principal, Instructor in High School.

Frank S. Coleman, Eighth Grade and High School.

Miss Frankie Watkins, Drawing and Seventh Grade.

Mrs. Lena Jackson, Sixth and Seventh Grades.

Mrs. L. B. Huntington, Fifth Grade.

Miss Mary R. T. Bay, Fourth Grade.

Miss Emma Mitchell, Third Grade.

Miss Ruffine Perkins, Second Grade.

Miss Malinda Hinton, First and Second Grades.

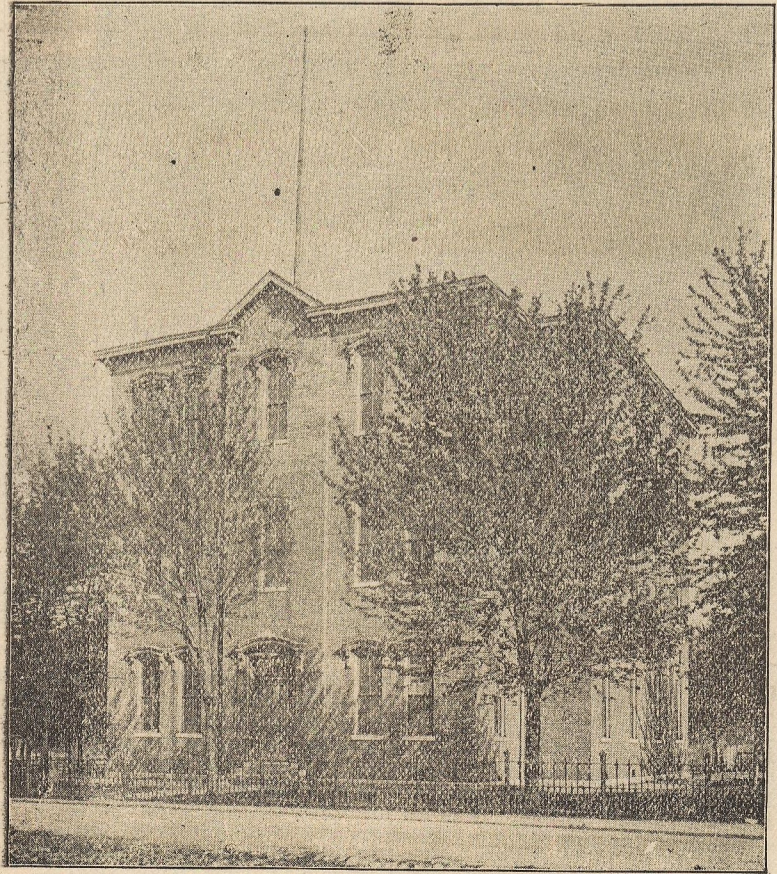
Miss Lillian Luvall, First Grade.

Miss Martha Slaughter, First Grade.

J. B. SUMPTER & BRO.,

Paints, Wall Paper, China.

The enterprising firm of J. B. Sumpter & Bro., is one of our largest industries, and enjoys a wholesale and retail business, the extent of which is known to but few of our people. The business is four fold, including their decorating and contracting business; the manufacture of high grade paints under the name of the Park City Paint and Color Works; their wholesale and jobbing business in Crockery, China and Glassware; and the retail department where is carried a very large assortment of glassware, hardware, hardware, cutlery, school supplies, wall paper, chinaware, toys, white lead, paints, putty, oils, varnishes, etc.



TALL CITY COLORED SCHOOL BUILDING.

The business was established in 1879 by J. B. Sumpter in a store room where the Odd Fellows hall now stands. They have been in their present large quarters on the corner of Main and College streets for the past fifteen years. In 1895, W. C. Sumpter was admitted to partnership, and the firm name became as it is now.

Both members of the firm are practical painters and decorators, and many of the most beautifully decorated homes, and other buildings in the city, are the work of this firm.

The members of the firm were both born and reared in this city and their father, S. W. Sumpter, was one of Warren's most substantial and popular citizens, who died some years ago.

AYER & LORD TIE CO.,

B. C. White, Manager.

The Ayer & Lord Tie Company, of which B. C. White is the manager here, are the largest tie dealers and the largest dealers of ties in the world. The main office is in Chicago, Ill., and they have branch offices in Bowling Green, Ky., Paducah, Ky., Burnside, Ky., Memphis, Tenn., Grenada, Miss., Little Rock, Ark., Duval Bluff, Ark., and Carbondale, Ark., in addition to which they operate the three largest treating plants in the country. So a idea of the magnitude of the business of this company can be had from the statement that they have now approximately timber standing sufficient to make forty million ties, in addition to the manufactured ties on hand at their various stations. They own, and use, seven steamboats, and about one hundred and forty barges for transporting ties on the various rivers and waterways to railroads. The ties are furnished to trunk lines exclusively.

B. C. White, whose headquarters are in this city, has been with the company since September, 1900, and has resided in Bowling Green four years. He is manager of the Green River region, and the purchasing agent for all this section of country. The timber is purchased both standing, and in the manufactured ties, and it is estimated that through this office this year there will be purchased over six hundred thousand ties.



W. L. McNeal.

Sheriff, Warren County.

Sheriff W. L. McNeal was born in Bowling Green, and when twenty-one years of age was elected City Tax Collector, and served three years. He then was Constable for the same length of time, resigning that position to become office Deputy Sheriff under John E. Dunavan, on January 1, 1883. This position he held for twenty-seven years, serving under six sheriffs. He devised a new system of bookkeeping for the sheriff's office, and some years ago when it was made the duty of the State Auditor to prepare a set of books to be used by all the sheriffs of the State, he, with several others, was invited to attend a conference at the office of the State Auditor at Frankfort, and present his system, which he did, and it was adopted by the Auditor almost exactly as presented.

In November, 1909, he was elected to the office of Sheriff, assuming the duties of the office January 1, 1910.

Sheriff McNeal has been active all his life in the religious affairs of the city. He was president of the Y. M. C. A., during the first four years of its existence, and was chairman of its Religious Work Committee, and of the Building Executive Committee during the campaign to raise funds for the new building. He also takes a great interest in church and Sunday school work, and now conducts the largest men's Bible class in the city at the Methodist Church Sunday School.

K. M. RUSSELL & SON,

Extensive Lumber Dealers.

This business was established in 1895 by J. N. and K. M. Russell and continued under their management until 1909 when the firm was changed to K. M. Russell & Son, the junior member being P. F. Russell. They are wholesale and retail dealers in hard and soft woods, sash doors, blinds, etc., and in fact everything in building materials that can be manufactured from wood.

An important feature of the business is the contracting and building department and they are prepared to give estimates on, and construct any kind of building no matter how large or how small, and their work in this line is of the kind that always gives entire satisfaction. Many of the handsome residences in this city and vicinity were erected by them, and stand as an evidence of their superior workmanship and artistic taste. The yards of this firm are well stocked with all grades and kinds of hard and soft lumber, and they are prepared to supply the trade in any sized lots or quantities.

The office of K. M. Russell & Son is on Twelfth street, between Chesnut and Park streets.

TURNER, DAY & WOOLWORTH

Handle Company.

This industry was established here nearly forty years ago, and taken over by the present firm in 1884. The headquarters of the Turner, Day & Woolworth Handle Company (Incorporated) is in Louisville, Kentucky, and it has finishing plants at Nashville, Tenn., Memphis, Tenn., Cairo, Ill., and Huntington, W. Va. The output of the company is larger than that of any similar industry in existence, in fact it manufactures fully seventy-

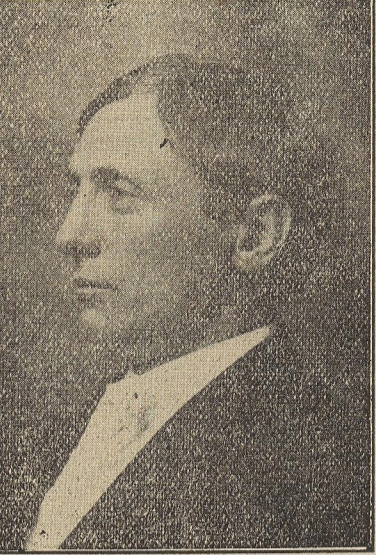
five per cent of the handles made in the entire country.

The branch here is known as a grinding factory, where the handles are turned and ground from the rough logs, and then shipped in bulk to Louisville. The capacity of the mill here is four thousand dozens a week, and employment is given to between one hundred and one hundred and twenty-five and one hundred and fifty hands. The mill is equipped with the most modern machinery, including blower system, etc. Being located directly on the L. & N. railway enables loading and unloading, to and from cars, without any unnecessary handling.

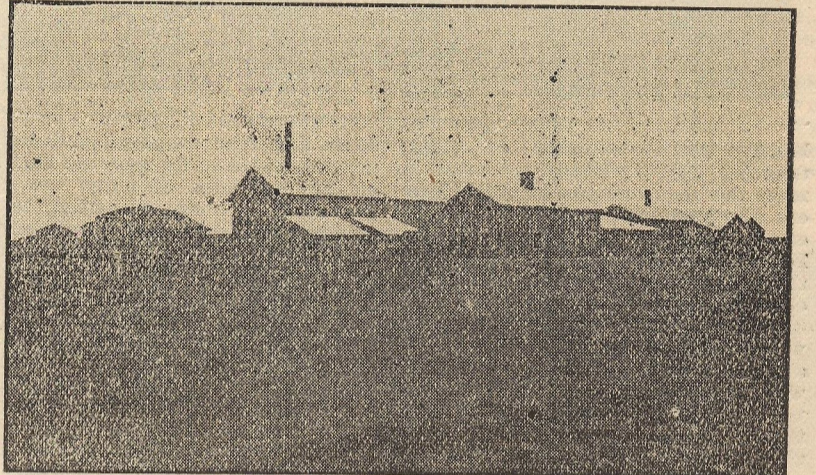
The amount of timber used by this company at its numerous mills and plants throughout the country is immense, and is purchased standing, in log form, or in any other manner practicable, and a large portion of it is rafted upon the various rivers and waterways to its destination at the mills where it is to be used.

James G. Ray is the superintendent of this division, and is in charge of the turning mills at Scottsville, Glasgow, Flippin, Ky., Decatur, Ala., and the saw mills at Auburn, Vineyard, Cedar Springs, Ky., and Athens, Ala., his headquarters being in Bowling Green. He has been in the employ of the Company for thirteen years, and has been in charge here for six years.

The benefits which this city derives from an industry of this kind is apparent, as giving employment to so large a number of hands, the pay roll is a very large one, and practically every dollar received in wages is spent with our home merchants.



J. G. Ray.



POTTER HOUSE,

Mrs. Dora Van Nort.

This well known hotel was opened to the public eighteen years ago by E. Watkins—father of Mrs. Dora Van Nort, the present proprietress. Mr. Watkins was an old hotel man, having been in the business over thirty years, twenty-three years of which was spent in this city. He was the proprietor of the Potter House for fourteen years, or until four years ago, when Mrs. Van Nort took charge of the hotel.

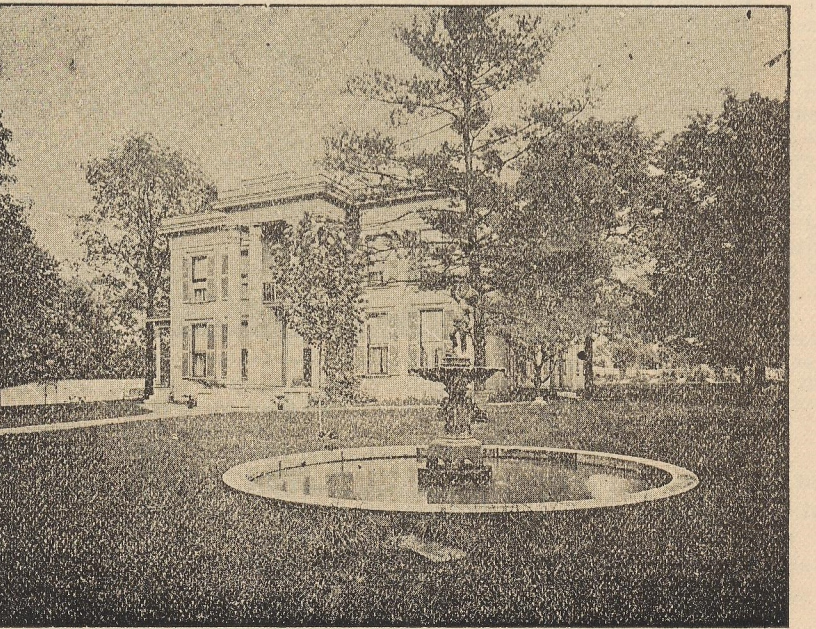
The Potter House is a moderate priced hotel, the rates being one dollar, to one dollar and twenty-five cents a day, and while the claim is not made that it is the best hotel in Bowling Green, it can be positively asserted that it is the very best moderate priced hotel in this part of Kentucky. Everything about the Potter House is new and up-to-date, the rooms are neat and clean, and the table is supplied with the best of everything that the market affords. Some idea of the popularity of this hotel can be understood by the statement that in addition to the hotel proper, Mrs. Van Nort finds it necessary to use three annexes to accommodate the large number of patrons. The Potter House is centrally located on Main street, a short distance from the L. & N. depot.

W. H. MITCHELL & CO.,

Wholesale Produce.

This is one of the representative wholesale produce houses of Southern Kentucky, and the business was established February 1, 1887. Six years ago the business had reached such proportions that the building now occupied at the corner of College & Eighth streets was erected. This is of pressed brick, 50 x 100 feet and two stories.

W. H. Mitchell & Co. are wholesale dealers exclusively, and deal in potatoes, cabbage, apples and fruits and vegetables generally. Coal oil, cement, lime, machine oils, grease, salt, etc. They are probably the largest dealers in salt in this section of the country, carrying everything in that line from common rock salt to the finest grades of "Shaker" table salt. The business is both local and away from here, large shipments being made in this and other states. W. H. Mitchell has been in business here for so long a time that his name has become identified with Bowling Green, and he can be relied upon at all times to do all in his power to advance the interests of the city.



RESIDENCE OF DR. J. N. MCCORMACK.

G. S. HOLLINGSWORTH,
City Clerk.

City Clerk G. S. Hollingsworth was born in Todd County, Ky., where he lived until he was fifteen years of age, and came to Bowling Green when seventeen years old. His early education, and in fact all he did obtain, was received in the schools of his native county and at Evansville, Ind. For five years after coming to this city he was in the employ of George Lehman, a confectioner, and for eight years thereafter with H. C. Hines & Co., grocers. In 1887, he was elected City Clerk, which office he held continuously until 1904, when he resigned to become secretary and treasurer, and a member of the firm of A. S. Hines & Co., grocers, and with whom he remained until 1907, or until the firm discontinued business. In that year the firm of Constance & Hollingsworth, hardware dealers, was organized, succeeding C. S. Allen, and in which he still retains his interest.

In 1909, he was nominated for the office of City Clerk—the nomination being entirely unsolicited—and in December was elected, by the City Council, to the position, again assuming the duties of the office which he had held for so many years previously, on December 6, 1909.

J. W. GRUBBS, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon.

Doctor J. W. Grubbs was born in Rochester, Kentucky, where he obtained his boyhood education in the country schools. He then went to Illinois where he worked on a farm for two years. Returning to his native State he again attended school and also became a teacher in the country schools. For two years thereafter he was engaged in mercantile business in Rochester, Ky. He then entered the Kentucky School of Medicine, Louisville, Ky., from which he was graduated in 1893, in a class of two hundred and twenty-four, the largest class ever graduated from that institution either before or since.

After receiving his diploma, Doctor Grubbs practiced in profession in Logansport, Ky., for nearly eighteen years, and in January, 1910, came to Bowling Green, purchased a home on Cemetery Pike, intending to make this city his permanent home. His practice is a general one in medicine and surgery, his office being located at 941 College street.

MARTIN DE VRIES,
Main Street Bakery.

Martin De Vries has been engaged in the bakery business in Bowling Green since 1871. He is a brother of the late Father Joseph De Vries, who built the Catholic church here, and whose remains are buried under the altar of the church, the church being a monument to his Godly life and conscientious work for the Catholics of this city and vicinity.

Martin De Vries has been in the store he now occupies for twenty years and conducts an up-to-date bakery. He makes every thing in baked goods from bread to dainty cake, and all are known for the cleanliness, and purity of material used in them. This bakery has been conducted for so many years that it is well and favorably known all through this section of Kentucky, and many of the customers today are sons and daughters of the customers of years ago. The bakery of Martin De Vries is at 124 Main street.

W. I. TABOR & BRO.

Groceries and Meats.

This well-known business firm was established two years ago, the individual members of the firm being W. I. Tabor, and J. A. Tabor, the first named had been in the same line for six years.

They carry a full line of staple and fancy groceries, canned goods, teas, coffee, flour, fruits, vegetables, cigars, tobacco, confectionery, etc. They carry no special brands, making it their aim to purchase and sell only the best from the leading wholesale houses. One of the features of this store is the meat department, where a specialty is made of "Home Killed Meats," and as they have their own slaughter house they are in a position to know exactly what they kill and sell. They make their own sausage, and render their own lard, and as well are large buyers of country produce of all kinds. Prompt deliveries of all orders are made by their own wagons, and the same attention is given orders over the telephone as if you were in the store to make your own selections. The grocery and meat market of W. I. Tabor & Bro., is at 116 College St., between Main and Eighth streets.

GILS E. TOWNSEND, M. D.,

Mayor, Bowling Green.

Mayor Gils E. Townsend was born on a farm near Adairville, Logan county, Kentucky. When fourteen years of age he went to school at Clarksville, Tennessee, and later attended Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., graduating from the pharmaceutical department in 1880, and the medical department in 1882. After graduation he practiced his profession for three years, two of which were in Bowling Green, when owing to ill health, he gave up active practice and went into the drug business here. After remaining in that line for some years he sold out, and took Post-Graduate courses in New York, Chicago and Nashville, in diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and for the past six years has made a specialty of afflictions peculiar to these parts of the human system.

Doctor Townsend served one term as a member of the City Council, and later, in November, 1897, was elected Mayor of Bowling Green, serving until December, 1901. Again, in November 1909, he was elected Mayor for a term of four years, from December 6, 1909.

Boost Bowling Green all the time. Talk about and encourage people to come here to reside. We have a great town and the future appears excellent.



S. H. BROWN,
A Progressive Grocer.

S. H. Brown, one of our popular and progressive grocers, was born near Elkton, Todd county, Kentucky, and obtained his education in the county schools and at the Southern Normal School of this city. He came to Bowling Green twentythree years ago. After a two years course at the Southern Normal School he embarked in the grocery business, in 1895, on Twelfth street, and twelve years ago moved to the store he now occupies at the corner of Adams and Twelfth streets. He carries a large assortment of staple and fancy groceries, canned goods, fruits, vegetables, country produce, fresh, salt, and smoked meats, fish, feed stuff, and the celebrated "Seal-shipt" oysters, and special attention is called to his line of extra-fine coffees, among them "Browns" special bulk coffee at thirty cents, "Galt House" Mocha and Java blend at three pounds for a dollar. He also carries confectionery, tobacco and cigars, and a side line of notions. All purchases are delivered with his own wagons if so desired. In the sixteen years that he has been in business here he has built up a most enviable patronage, due to the quality of goods he carries, and to his honorable business methods.

S. H. Brown was the first to install in his store here a McCaskey Account Register, a system for keeping the accounts of his customers in a very simple manner, which relieves him of the trouble of keeping books, and is a great convenience to his customers, as with each order of goods delivered there is left a slip which shows the items in that purchase, and the total amount of their purchases for that month, a duplicate slip is kept in the register at the store. Since he began using this register, about every grocer, realizing the convenience and simplicity of it, has purchased one.



E. N. HALL, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon.

Doctor E. N. Hall was born in Franklin, Kentucky. His early education was obtained in the city schools of Franklin, and at McCutchen Seminary. He later attended the University of Tennessee at Nashville, and was graduated from the medical department in 1881. After receiving his diploma he went to Woodburn, Ky., where he practiced his profession for twenty-eight years. After taking a post-graduate course in New York, he came to Bowling Green in 1909, and has resided here since, doing a general practice in medicine and surgery, with offices at 939 College street.

Twelve years ago he was appointed by the State Board of Health, a member of the Warren County Board of Health, and about that time was elected president of that body, which position he yet holds. He was vice president of the American Medical Association, being elected to that office at Chicago, Ill. In 1908, at a meeting of the association which was attended by ten thousand physicians from all over the United States and foreign countries.

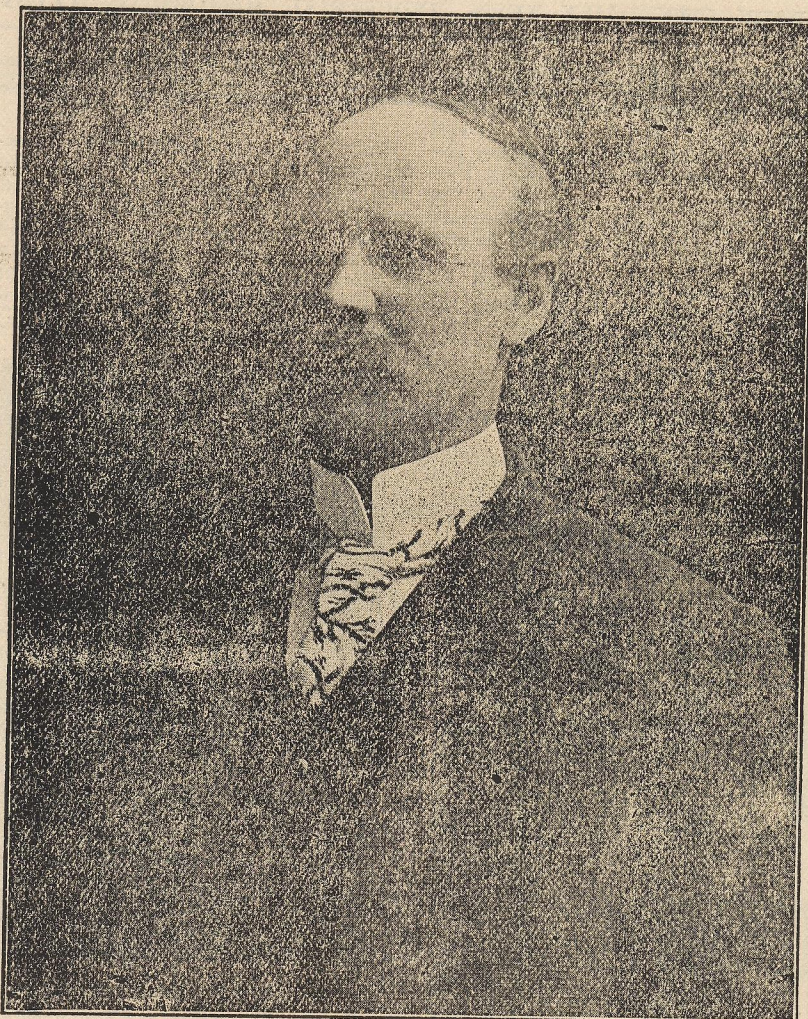
Doctor Hall is president of the Bank of Woodburn, and has held that position for the past five years.

GARNETT SHARP,

Clerk, Water Works Dept.

Garnett Sharp, clerk of the Water Works Department, and clerk of Fair View Cemetery, was born in Bowling Green, and has lived here all his life. He obtained his early education in, and graduated from, the graded schools of this city, after which he attended Ogden College, graduating with the class of 1907. After his college days were over he became identified in business with his father, John R. Sharp, in the Bowling Green Transfer Co., the firm name being Sharp & Son. This interest he still retains. It appears in order here to say that the Bowling Green Transfer Co., Sharp & Son, are probably the largest "hauling" firm in this part of Kentucky, their motto being "Sharp & Son, haul anything under the sun."

Boost your town always.

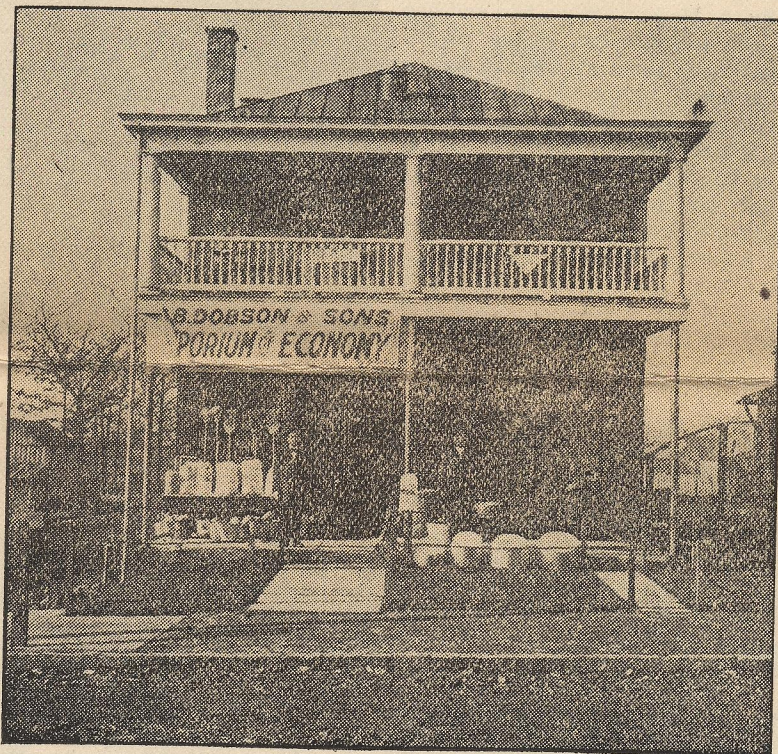


PARK CITY COAL CO.,
W. W. Peete, Prop.

This is the oldest coal business in Bowling Green, and was established over forty years ago. The present owner, W. W. Peete, was born in Mecklenburg county, Virginia, and came here in 1893, when he engaged in the coal business with his brother, R. E. Peete. Fourteen years ago the yards, now known as the Park City Coal Company, was purchased and since the death of his brother, W. W. Peete, has conducted the business alone with much success. The office and yards

are at the corner of Main and Clay streets, and are connected by a switch with the main line of the L. & N. railroad. He keeps constantly on hand a large amount of the very best grades of coal in the market, such as Jellico, North Jellico, St. Bernard, and the celebrated Pittsburgh coal for blacksmiths. He has a number of wagons, and delivers orders to any part of the city. He has established a reputation for prompt delivery, and for sending exactly the kind of coal you order.

In addition to the coal business W. W. Peete is a large dealer in crushed lime, "Portland" cement, "Ohio" river sand, "Erin" lime, "Gypsum" plaster, and manufacturers concrete blocks.



C. B. DOBSON & SON,
The Cash Grocery.

Probably no grocery firm in this city bears a higher reputation in a business way than this one, which was established by C. B. Dobson twenty years ago. Two years ago the building they now occupy at 875 Broadway—Home phone 186—was erected. This is of pressed brick, two stories, 25x80 feet, with ten feet porches both front and rear. Two years ago C. B. Dobson, Jr., was admitted to partnership and the firm name became C. B. Dobson & Son.

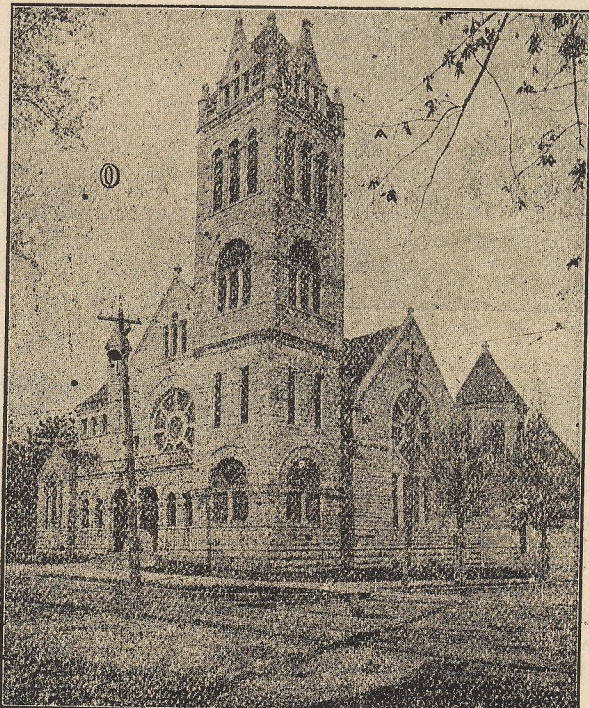
They carry a superior line of staple and fancy groceries, canned goods, teas, coffees, flour, baked goods, confectionery, cigars, tobacco, fresh, smoked and salt meats, oysters, fruits, vegetables, etc., and particular attention is called to their "Bon Ton" flour, a brand which they claim is, without exception, the very best on the mar-

ket, and they are willing to take the opinion of any baker or housekeeper to bear out this statement. A specialty is also made of fine blended coffees, which are ground while you wait, with their new electric grinder. They are also large buyers of country produce.

The meat department calls for particular mention, for it is clean and invitingly kept, and nothing but the best of meats is allowed to reach their customers. They make their own sausage and render their own lard, and all purchases of either groceries or meats are delivered with their own wagons to any part of the city.

C. B. Dobson & Son are firm believers in printers ink, and attribute their success largely to keeping their name, and the superior quality of goods they handle, before the people through the columns of the newspapers.

Come to Bowling Green, Ky. Best town on earth.



STATE STREET METHODIST CHURCH.

N. F. HILL,

Implements, Seeds, Etc.

This is one of the old and tried establishments of Bowling Green, the present proprietor having been in business here for over twenty-five years. He carries in his large warerooms an assortment of farm implements, wagons, buggies, etc., and is agent here for such well known makes as "Avery" line of agricultural implements, "Hamilton" cultivators and disc harrows, "Thomas" movers and rakes, "New Idea" manure spreaders, "Anchor" buggies, "Mogul" wagons, etc., etc., and also carries a very large line of field and garden seeds of every variety, and of the kind that when they are planted, or sown, grow and yield abundant crops. He also sells stock food, and the celebrated "Homestead" fertilizers.

N. F. Hill has been in business here for so long that he is well known all through this section of the country, and he enjoys a large trade from this and surrounding counties. His office and warerooms are at 938-940 State street, new phone 442.

TANDY T. GARDNER,

Real Estate and Insurance.

Tandy T. Gardner has been in the insurance business for five years. Two years ago he bought a one-half interest in the real estate and insurance business of W. W. Williams, the firm being Williams & Gardner, and in 1910 he purchased his partner's remaining interest, and has since conducted the business alone.

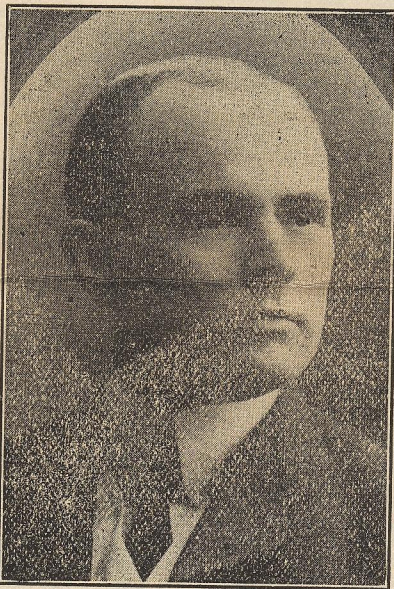
He buys, sells, and exchanges real estate in both city and country, and deals extensively in farm lands. He also conducts a general insurance agency, writing life, fire, tornado, accident, health, liability, surety bonds, live stock, plate glass, steam boilers, burglary and theft policies, and representing some of the largest companies in the world. The office of Tandy T. Gardner is at 935 State street, both phones.

CALLIS BROTHERS,

Prescription Druggists.

J. F. Callis and T. B. Callis are the individual members of the firm of Callis Brothers, the progressive State street druggists.

The present firm was established five years ago, when they purchased the business from Townsend & Pence. Both brothers are registered pharma-



T. R. NEILL,

Coal That Burns.

T. R. Neill has lived in Bowling Green for thirty-two years, and for twenty-eight years of that time was a conductor on the Louisville and Nashville railroad. Four years ago he started in the retail coal business here, and from the very first has had an excellent trade.

He deals in Jellico and Beech Creek coals, the kind that always give general satisfaction on account of their burning qualities with very little ash and no clinkers. He has his own wagons, and delivers orders promptly to any part of the city. His yards and office, at the corner of Tenth and Clay streets, directly on the main line of the L. & N. railroad, giving him splendid facilities for unloading coal directly from the cars into his yard, without any unnecessary handling and at a nominal expense. This saving he gives his customers the benefit of.

HON. G. DUNCAN MILLIKEN,

Police Judge.

Police Judge G. Duncan Milliken was born in Simpson county, Kentucky, and is a son of the late J. R. Milliken, M. D., who died some years ago, and was during his life time a very prominent physician of Simpson county.

Judge Milliken obtained his education in the district schools, Bethel College, Russellville, Ky., and at Centerville College, Danville, Ky., graduating in the latter institution from the academic department in 1903, and from the law department in 1904. In 1905 he took a Post-Graduate course in the law department of the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Mich. In 1904—he began taking the Post-Graduate course in the law in Lexington, Ky., and in July, 1905, began the practice of law in this city. In 1908-1909, he was a member of the State legislature, representing the Bowling Green district, and in November, 1909, was elected to the office of Police Judge, assuming the duties of the position December 6, of that year, for a term of four years.

BOWLING GREEN MACHINE CO.

Founders and Machinists.

The Bowling Green Machine Company was established here in 1875, and six years ago was taken over by the present firm, composed of Al. Colburn and C. C. Heminger. They are general founders and machinists and occupy a large plant at 117 to 121 Main street, giving employment to a number of experienced hands.

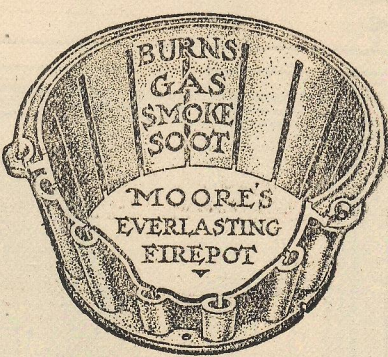
The main building or machine shop, is 70x140 feet, and in the rear is the foundry building, 40 x 80 feet. The company are large manufacturers of Handie Machinery, making complete outfits for handle plants, and also make high grade castings of all kinds, grates, boiler castings, mill, pumps, engine, and boiler trimmings, etc., and give special attention to repairing engines, boilers, etc. There is nothing in their line that they cannot do in a perfectly satisfactory manner, and the quality of the work is such that they are fully entitled to the praise and rapidly increasing business they are enjoying. The shop is equipped with modern machinery, lathes, etc., and they are in a position to execute any kind of foundry or machine work, no matter how large or how small.

which is served delicious soda water and other beverages. As a side line they carry Columbia phonographs and a full assortment of records.

During the five years that Callis Brothers have been established here, they have built up an excellent patronage, due, undoubtedly, to courteous treatment of customers, and the quality of the goods they carry.

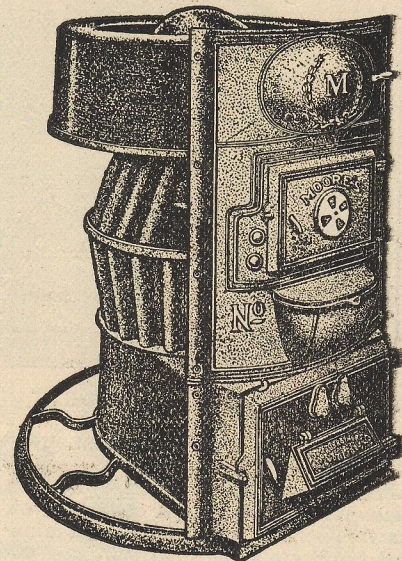
A city will prosper in proportion to the thrift and enterprise of its citizens. A good town cannot be made with drones.

BOOST YOUR TOWN ALWAYS.
Did you ever consider that every time you refuse to help in boosting your own town, that the progressive fellow in the next town is boosting his, and then we wonder why some towns grow so rapidly why we do not.



BURN'S GAS SMOKE SOOT
MOORE'S EVERLASTING FIRE POT
BOWLING GREEN
Sheet Metal Works.

The Bowling Green Sheet Metal Works, of which J. S. Heaton is manager, is one of the well known concerns in their line in this part of Kentucky. They do tin, galvanized iron and slate roofing, guttering and spouting, and manufacture galvanized cornice, watering troughs, tanks, etc., and a specialty is made of repair work in all these lines. They handle "The Only Good Cistern Filter," and are agents here for "Moore's Hot Air Fur-



nace," acknowledged by all to be the best furnace on the market, a cut of which appears with this article. Stove pipe, and repair parts for ranges and furnaces are carried in stock, and particular attention is given to repairing ranges and furnaces. The Bowling Green Sheet Metal Works, are a reliable firm who do reliable work. J. S. Heaton, the manager, is a man thoroughly familiar with the business in all its branches, and as he employs none but experienced workmen their work is always executed in a satisfactory manner.



PROF. BARKSDALE HAMLETT
For State Superintendent.

Prof. Barksdale Hamlett, who has announced himself as a candidate on the Democratic ticket for the nomination for State Superintendent of Public Instruction, is peculiarly adapted for the position. The announcement is in response to the solicitation of leading Democrats and friends of education in all parts of the State.

Professor Hamlett is one of the most influential citizens and successful school men in Kentucky. He is a life-long and active Democrat, and a man whose intelligence, experience and energy splendidly fit him for the position to which he aspires. Prof. Hamlett's activities touch many phases of life. When he went to Hopkinsville from Henderson as Superintendent of Public Schools there were but two buildings. With the completion this year of the High School building, there are six, at a cost of \$200,000, and the faculty of twenty-three teachers has been increased to about fifty.

Beginning his career as a teacher in Hardin county, he has since held the co-principalship of the public school and Normal College in Laramie county, the principalship of the graded school in Corydon and the principalship of the city and county high schools at Henderson. For the sixth time he has been re-elected superintendent of the State.

He is at the Hopkinsville schools. He is an orator of ability and a popular member of the Elks and other fraternal organizations and clubs, and many Democratic newspapers throughout the State are speaking in the highest

terms of Prof. Hamlett's candidacy. He is one of the best equipped men in Kentucky for the position, and will have the hearty and enthusiastic support, not only of Western Kentucky, but of all who know him.

He is a graduate of Hampden-Sydney College of Virginia with the orator's medal of his class. He served as president of the State Educational Association with distinguished ability and also as member of the State Board of Examiners under Superintendent Fuqua. From study and experience he is master of the school problems of Kentucky and is particularly interested in the improvement of the common schools.

He believes through a permanently organized campaign for educational improvement, readjusted ideals must be converted into practical realities. Thus will the latent energies of society be set free and opportunity will indeed knock at the door of every home in Kentucky.

In his platform he says:

"I stand specifically for the Improvement, Sanitation and Equipment of our Rural Schools, in accordance with the best Modern Standards. For a Minimum Seven Months Term in every district. A Rational and effective Compulsory Attendance. Good Roads and Consolidation. A practical Course of Study, incorporating instruction in Agriculture and the Domestic and Mechanical Arts and Sciences. Teachers of Scholarship, Character and Personality. The establishment of good County High Schools, accessibly located in every county in Kentucky. Improved facilities for the County Superintendent's Office. Liberal Enlargement and

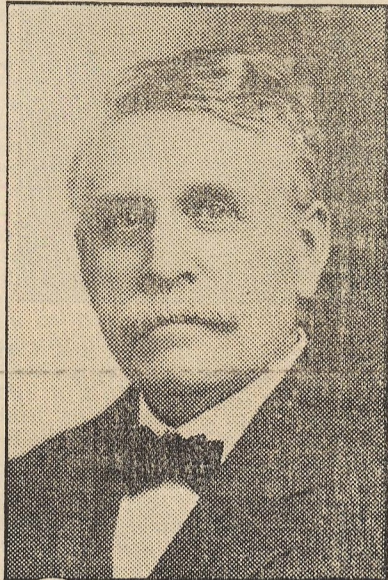
Maintenance of our Normal Schools and State University as component parts of our Public School System. Readjustment of our Public School System of Finance to effect larger Results on a more Economic Basis. Personal Leadership on the part of the State Superintendent, in a Permanent-Organized campaign for better Education."

We are convinced that if he receives the nomination he will be elected by a large majority.

ROBERT L. GREENE.

For Clerk, Court of Appeals.

Robert L. (Bob.) Greene, Candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, subject to the action of the Democratic party, Primary election May 27, 1911. Born in Gallatin county, reared in Bracken County, Deputy Circuit Clerk in Pendleton and Kenton Counties, afterwards Deputy Clerk of the Kentucky Court of Appeals for a number



of years. Always a democrat. A perfectly natural ambition has been his to reach the highest position a clerk can gain in his profession, that of being Clerk of the highest court in the State. He has always had and has now the endorsement of the judges of that court as to his special fitness for the office.

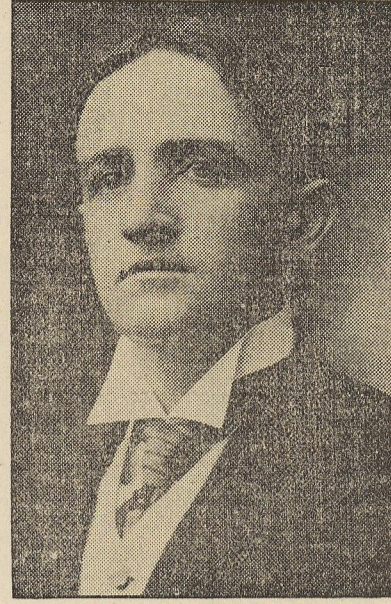
Everyone, lawyer or litigant, who ever had business in the Clerk's office of the Court of Appeals while he was deputy, will attest his efficiency, his courteous and kindly attention to duty.

In addition to his other endorsements, Bob Greene, as he is familiarly known, is receiving the support of many of the leading newspapers throughout the State, and the general expression of opinion is that he is the right man for the place. His ability to fill the position, his honesty and his past enviable record are factors which should go a long way toward giving him the nomination, and as he has ever been a consistent Democrat, the nomination will mean his election by a large majority, as he has friends wherever he is known.

KERLEY & MORRIS,

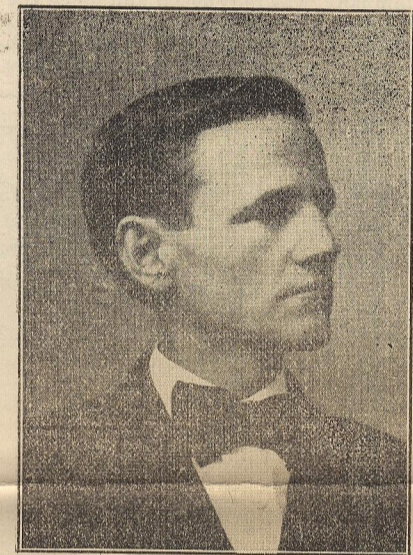
Dry Goods, Notions, Etc.

This popular dry goods house was established in November, 1906, under the firm name of Campbell & Morris, and on April 1, 1910, Ed L. Kerley purchased Mr. Campbell's interest, and the firm style became as at present, Kerley & Morris. Before the organization of the present firm, Ed L. Kerley traveled



J. M. Robinson, Norton & Co., a wholesale dry goods house of Louisville, Ky., to the formation of the present firm.

Kerley & Morris are having a most successful patronage, owing in a large measure to the quality of the goods they carry, and their very evident desire to please their customers. They carry an exceptionally nice assortment of dry goods, dress goods, silks, notions, shoes, gloves, corsets, clothing, hosiery, hats, caps, lace curtains, rugs, umbrellas, blankets, quilts, house furnishing goods, suit cases, traveling



bags, trunks, hand bags, ladies and gentlemen's furnishings, etc., and are agents here for such well known lines as "C. B." corsets, "Queen Quality" shoes for women, "King Quality," and "A. J. Bates" shoes for men, "Camels Skin" work shoes, "Dixie" line of hosiery for women and men, and the celebrated Isaac Hart, of Cincinnati, clothing for men and boys. They are also the representatives here for H. M. Marks & Co., Chicago, custom tailors, whose made-to-measure clothing has a reputation the country over for quality, fit, and workmanship at a moderate price.

The store of Kerley & Morris is attractive, and a good place to trade, and is located at 932 State street.

THE FOX COLLECTING

And Accounting Company.

C. E. Fox, general manager of this Company, has lived in Bowling Green and Warren county, practically all his life, and is an expert accountant, having formerly been an instructor in the Bowling Green Business University.

The Fox Collecting and Accounting Company, of which he is the head, was organized September 1, 1910, and as it is the only collecting agency in the city, it fills a long needed want. It is essentially a Home company, and all employees are Bowling Green or Warren county people.

Collections are made throughout the country by its association, and connection with similar collection agencies in all the large cities of the United States. These connections enable the Company to make collections promptly and safely.

The company also has a mercantile agency, or rating department, and is enabled through the close connections it has with the merchants here and in the county, to accurately give the standing of every resident of Warren county. This branch of the business is being brought to a higher standard as rapidly as possible, and the company has in contemplation the issuing of a rating book at an early date. The individual ratings of parties are revised as often as new information is secured, and the business men generally help to keep this list of names revised, as it is as much to their benefit as to the benefit of the company.

Through its law department, in charge of B. F. Wallace, legal advice and services in connection with all collections is given members free.

Since the organization of the company its efforts and prompt workings have been greatly appreciated by the merchants, and they have heartily given it their support. It solicits the uncollected accounts of merchants, manufacturers, and professional men, and gives as reference the Warren State Bank, and the American National Bank of this city. The offices of the Fox Collecting and Accounting Company, are at 937 State street, in the Neale building.

Come to Bowling Green, Ky. Best town on earth.



HON. JAMES B. McCREARY

For Governor.

James B. McCreary, Democrat, was born in Madison county, Kentucky, and graduated when 18 years old at Center College, Danville, Ky., in 1857; commenced the study of law the same year, and graduated at the law department of Cumberland University, Tenn., with the first honor in a class of forty-seven, in 1859, and in 1860 commenced the practice of law at Richmond; entered the Confederate army in 1862, and was Lieutenant Colonel in the Eleventh Kentucky Cavalry at the close of the war; was selected as a Presidential elector of the Democratic ticket in 1863, but declined; was then elected a delegate to the national Democratic convention held in New York July 4, 1868; was elected a member of the House of Representatives of Kentucky in 1869, 1871 and 1873, and was elected speaker of the House in 1871 and re-elected in 1873; was nominated as a Democratic candidate for Governor in May, 1875, and elected, serving from August, 1875, to September, 1879; received the degree of LL. D. from Centre College in 1879; was appointed under an act of Congress, by the President of the United States and served as a delegate to the International Monetary Conference held at Brussels, Belgium, in 1892, where twenty nations were represented; was elected as a Democrat to represent the Eighth district of Kentucky in the Forty-ninth Congress in 1884, and re-elected to the Fiftieth, Fifty-first, Fifty-second, Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth Congresses as a Democrat; was elected a delegate to the national Democratic convention held at Kansas City in 1900, and was chairman of the State Democratic Committee in the campaign of 1900; was elected to the United States Senate as a Democrat in 1902, to succeed William J. Deboe, Republican, and

took his seat March 4, 1903. His term of service expired March 3, 1909.

He is President of the American Peace and Arbitration League, which has a membership of over five thousand in the United States.

It is rarely that a man who has been in public life as long as has the Honorable James B. McCreary comes out of it with as clean a record as he has. In all the years he has been in service, never one word has been said, fully, against his ability, honor or integrity; never one act that has ever had a suspicious appearance. After the expiration of his service as United States Senator, March 3, 1909, he fully decided to retire to private life and enjoy a well earned rest for the balance of his days in the seclusion of his home and among his neighbors and friends. But it was not to be so, and in a short time he received over one thousand letters from ninety-two counties in the State asking him to become a candidate for the nomination for Governor. At about the same time nearly seventy Democratic newspapers in the State came out boldly for him, believing him to be the only man who could carry the party to victory. After great pressure had been brought to bear upon him, he finally consented to permit his name to be used, and announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for Governor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Since he became a candidate he has made numerous speeches throughout the State, and in every instance has made friends not alone for himself, but for the great party he represents. If nominated and elected a clean, honest, fearless administration is assured, for James B. McCreary's record is such that no influence from any source will ever make him swerve from what he conscientiously considers his duty to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, and the Democratic party with whom he has been so long honorably connected.



JAMES P. EDWARDS

For Lieutenant Governor.

James P. Edwards was born in Louisville, Ky. His early education was obtained at Princeton Collegiate Institute, Princeton, Kentucky, he going through the various departments of that institution. He later attended Centre College, Danville, Kentucky, from which he was graduated in 1898. He studied law under Ex-Governor Knott, of Kentucky, and was admitted to the bar in Danville in April 1898. He then located in Princeton, Kentucky, where he practiced his profession for a time, and on September 1, 1899, went to Louisville, where he has since been actively engaged in the practice of law, with offices in the Kentucky Title Building. He resides in Jefferson county, about ten miles

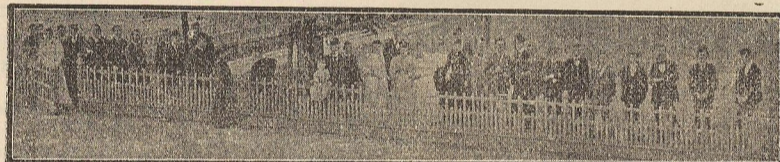
out of Louisville. In 1902-1904 he served in the State Legislature, representing a Louisville district. James P. Edwards has ever been a conscientious Democrat, and has always supported the nominees of the Democratic party. His introduction into politics was as a delegate to the Goebel convention from Caldwell county, and for the past twelve years he has organized a portion of the Congressional District in which he resides, and has been upon the "stump" each year in the interest of the Democratic party.

Upon the earnest solicitation of numerous friends he has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination of Lieutenant Governor, subject to the action of the Democratic party, and if nominated and elected, will undoubtedly bring into the office the same conscientious business methods which have made him so successful in his chosen profession.

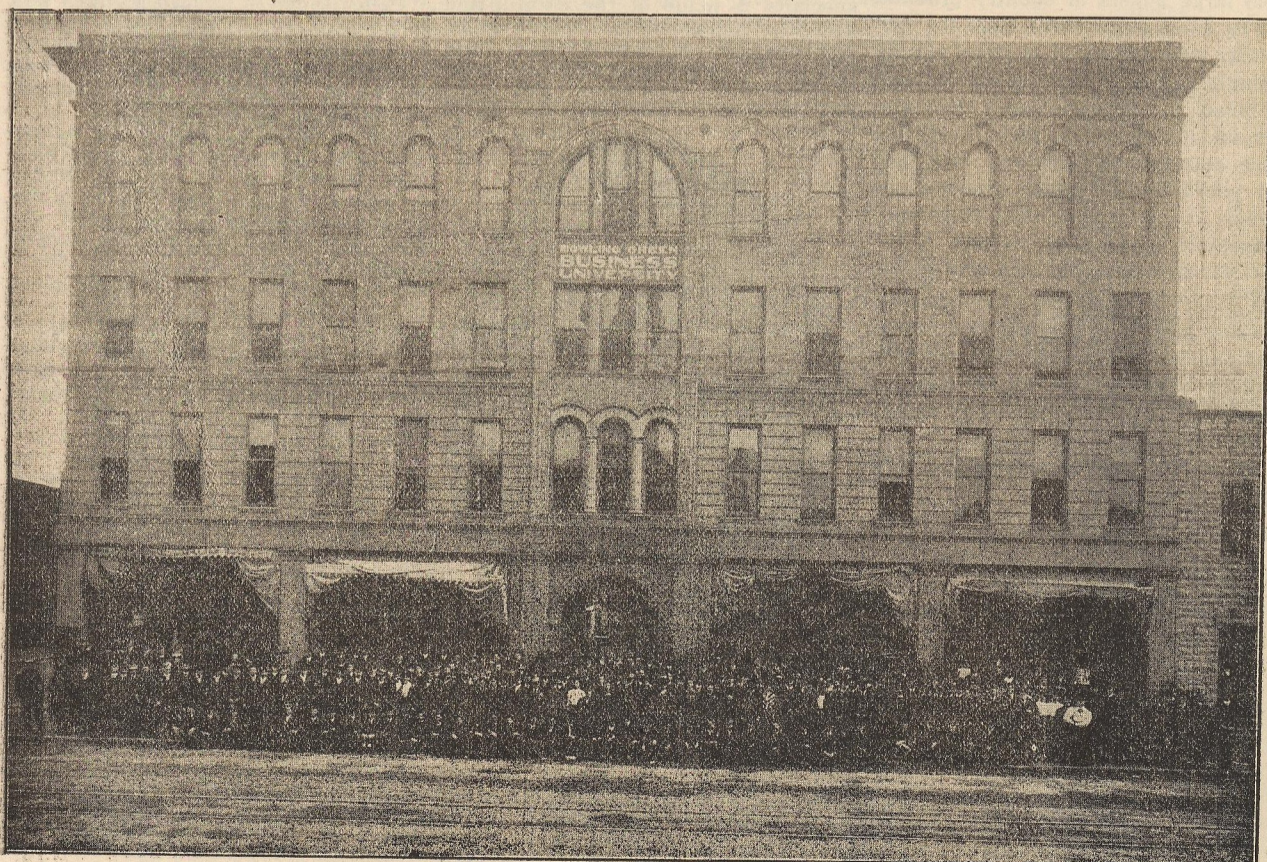
BOWLING GREEN

Business University.

One of the largest enterprises in this city, and the largest of the kind in all the South, is the Bowling Green Business University. The illustrations above represent the school about eighteen years ago, and the illustration below represents it last year.



AS IT WAS



AS IT IS.

Building an educational plant is unlike building other organizations. With money, a big store can be established in a few months, a factory built and put into flourishing operation, but money alone will not enroll students. Eighteen years ago the Bowling Green Business University had an enrollment of about twenty, with two teachers, three or four old typewriting machines; no telegraphy department and no modern equipment. Today it occupies one of the most elegant structures in this city. It has eighty-six new type-writing machines; a faculty of fourteen instructors; with an annual enrollment of something like 300 students. It draws its patronage from all the States of the South and from a few States north of the Ohio river. It sends its graduates to every State in the union. This institution

now has six departments, all thoroughly organized and under the management of experts. They are the departments of Bookkeeping, Shorthand, Telegraphy, Typewriting, Penmanship and English. Men who were educated here from eight to eighteen years ago are now Railroad officials, Chief Dispatchers, Bank Presidents and Cashiers, Managers of big enterprises, Merchants, Bookkeepers, Official Stenographers, etc. For years, the Bowling Green Business University and the Southern Normal School were under the same management. In 1907 the Normal School was made a State institution and at that time, Messrs. J. S. Dickey, J. L. Harmon and W. S. Ashby, President, Vice President and Business Manager respectively, purchased the Business University, with all of its

to the gigantic gyratory crusher, equipment and its good will. These men were for years before becoming owners of the school, connected with it. Practically all of the members of the faculty have been with the school a number of years. The school has been gradually growing and their enrollment this winter will be from fifteen to twenty-five per cent. larger than ever before. The school enjoys the recognition of business men and educators. Its managers and teachers have an interest in all public questions. They take an active interest in educational and business matters generally, and the educational system of Kentucky and the commercial world recognizes the work that they are doing.