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INTRODUCTORY.

It is with a degree of pardonable pride that we send broadcast over the universe this elegant Souvenir Edition, forcibly illustrating by pen and picture the many charms of the most desirable section in Kentucky. As an artistic publication and one which tells an eloquent story of the section it represents, this edition is not devoid of claims of distinction, and is something that will cause no citizen of Warren County to blush. We conscientiously believe that it is the handsomest publication of its kind ever gotten up, and all home printed, in any city in the State.

In the preparation and publication of an edition of this magnitude and character, it requires a large amount of labor, and involves an enormous expense. We believe, however, that the results will justify the cost for our remuneration will be the realistic illustration it affords to demonstrate the fact that the Times-Journal is an up-to-date and enterprising newspaper.

This entire edition is devoted to pen pictures and illustrations of enterprises, establishments and prominent people of Bowling Green and Warren County. Its many pages fairly teem with information that is sought far and wide concerning a people and a country that have become eminently famous. It is a thing of beauty, and we trust will be a joy for every one who has the welfare of this particular section of Kentucky at heart. In fact, the entire edition is one of art, and special effort has been made to have it so, as the management is convinced

that nothing is too good for the readers of the Times-Journal. Within its pages are proclaimed everything which pertains to a solid, safe, enterprising and sturdily progressive people. The investor, the home-seeker and the shopper will find information that is entitled to serious consideration at all times, and the readers in far off states and countries, in glancing at its picturesque pages, will never have cause to regret any confidence that may be reposed in them. As a county of substance, solidity and unswerving honesty, Warren is known far and wide, and it will ever be the mission of the Times-Journal to jealously guard their fair fame as well as proclaim their virtues, inexhaustible resources and advantages, as often as occasion may warrant, and in a manner that will not be wholly unworthy of the best part of Kentucky. Actuated by this desire, it sends forth this handsome edition, which is but a faint reflex of the substantial conditions that really exist, and for which every patron is devotedly thankful as he has abundant reason to be.

We trust that this effort of journalistic enterprise will be appreciated. The Times-Journal will continue in its daily work of extolling the advantages of this section in a manner that has made and will keep it in the front



ENTRANCE TO CAVE AT CAVE MILL.

too, that it was the first, last and only successful attempt, for several other dailies were launched at different times by different publishers, but none ever lived through more than a journalistic infancy. The Times has seen its competitors arise and enter the lists to the blare of trumpet and full panopied for war, but has always regarded with complacency these periodical attempts to displace it in the

C. M. Coombs, who both went into the postoffice under Cleveland's first administration, relinquishing active control of their interests.

Other dailies issued within the last twenty years were the Democrat, which was published for a short time as a morning and later as an afternoon daily, Nathan P. Barclay being the publisher. Later on this daily was absorbed by the Times, but the weekly Democrat was continued by R. E. Morningstar until about 1897, when it died an easy and perfectly natural death. Thus passed away all that was left of the Democrat either as daily or weekly, neither of which has ever been resurrected.

The Morning News, under the able management and ownership of Mr. J. Briggs Kirby, was established and continued for a number of months and was one of the best and newsiest dailies ever published here, but Mr. Kirby sold it to other parties and the News soon went to join the other unfortunates that have preceded it to the newspaper grave yard.

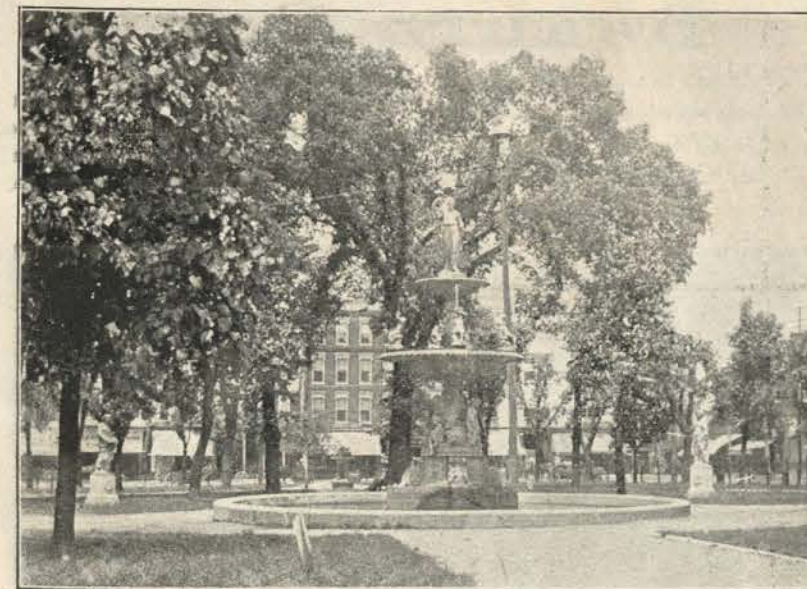
This was an entirely different paper from the News established a year or two ago by E. C. Cooksey and recently sold to other parties and now being published as the Park City Daily News.

Another daily newspaper venture was the Morning Critic, under the directorship of Major R. M. Cox. It was a neat and newsy little sheet, but like most of its predecessors died in infancy.

The Warren County Courier was established in 1891 by Frank B. Fleenor and W. J. Denhardt, and was owned by E. R. Bagby from 1896 to 1897, and then went to Mr. Denhardt.



SCENE ON DRAKE'S CREEK AT CEMETERY PIKE BRIDGE.



FOUNTAIN IN CENTRAL PARK.

In the fall of 1899 W. J. and J. G. Denhardt secured the Daily Times. There had been started in the summer of 1899 the Daily and Weekly Journal. These papers were purchased in May, 1900, by Mr. C. M. Coombs and in November, 1900, the Times and Journal, with both their large daily and weekly subscription lists, were consolidated and have since been published under the hyphenated title, Times-Journal. This was the last newspaper change in the city except that the Weekly News, owned by L. E. Bacon and published by E. C. Cooksey, went into the hands of the News Publishing Company in April last, and on April 25, 1902, appeared as a morning daily under the name of the Park City Daily News.

The Times-Journal is proud of the record it has made in the twenty years that lie behind it. It has taken an active part in securing for Bowling Green all her handsome and important public improvements and we say it modestly is entitled to no small share of the credit for making Bowling Green one of the most substantial and most thoroughly modern little cities in the country. Wherever the city's interests lay it has always led the fight and will in the future, as in the past, be found always battling for whatever will enhance Bowling Green's material, social and moral interests.

The paper is published from a substantial two-story brick building on Tenth street, with a floor space of 30x120 feet, with up stairs and down stairs filled with type, presses, etc., among the equipments being three cylinder presses, stapling machine, round cornering machine, paper cut-

ters and other things entirely too numerous to mention in this article. The Times-Journal has recently installed in the composing room the latest improved Mergenthaler Duplex Linotype typesetting machine, upon which all the matter for the paper is set. Our patrons have been enabled to see in the improved appearance of the paper how nicely it works. Since getting the machine we have been enabled to print a great deal more news and it has so improved the paper that new subscriptions are coming in rapidly

that "a little folly now and then is relished by the wisest men."

The superiority of our daily and semi-weekly editions as advertising mediums of merit is attested by the fact that the two papers now enjoy a larger advertising patronage, both home and foreign, than ever before in the history of newspapers in this city. Our daily edition prints more than five times as many home advertisements as any other daily in the Third Congressional district, and with two or three exceptions, all of the foreign contracts placed in the town are with our daily or semi-weekly editions. In reaching the people of Warren and adjoining counties, outside of Bowling Green, our semi-weekly edition has comparatively a clear field. The Courier has more than three times as many subscribers as any other newspaper in the county, and for this reason, more than seven-tenths of all home advertising is given to this publication.

The Times-Journal is the oldest and only continuously published paper in Bowling Green and the only one that has been a success. The city not being large enough for the support of two dailies, the Times-Journal will survive, for it has been firmly established and is on a permanent, paying basis, and will grow with the growth of the city, having the confidence of the public, the patronage of the people, and the ability to hold its own for

large and perfectly appointed job department. When the Times and Journal were consolidated, the two job offices, of course, were thrown together, each paper alone having a well-stocked office, so that our job department is now simply complete in every possible way. All the large catalogues and finest work of the year have been issued from this office and we are specially proud of the quality and character of work turned out in this department, and which can not be excelled by work done in any of the larger offices at the cities. The splendid equipment of our office places us in a position to do printing of all kinds, such as catalogues, letter heads, note heads, bill heads, statements, envelopes, cards, invitations, posters, etc., and at prices as low as first-class printing can be executed.

One of our schools had an attendance during the term just ended of over 800 pupils.

FRANK MAIER

Carries a Large and Well-Stocked Line of Jewelry of All Kinds.

The half-tone cut, which appears on another page in this issue, shows in a measure something of the beauty and magnitude of the handsome jewelry store of Frank Maier, at 408 Main street. The store is one of the most attractive in the city and is certainly an ornament to that side of the square on which it is located.

For more than twenty years Mr. Maier has been a resident of Bowling Green and by fair dealing, low prices, liberal advertising and his proverbial gentlemanly conduct has built up a magnificent trade. His name is a household word and he may boast of the friendship and confidence of a very large majority of our population. He is an enterprising and valuable citizen. He served in the city council with distinction and is a tried and true friend of the railroad people, his friendship for them having secured for him years ago the position of Inspector of Watches for the L. & N. road.

Mr. Maier's assortment of jewelry could hardly be excelled anywhere. He carries a beautiful assortment of watches, clocks, vases, bric-a-brac, silverware of all kinds, umbrellas, fine chinaware, spoons, knives and forks, and in fact everything to be found in an establishment of such magnitude. He carries a splendid line of glasses and guarantees to fit any eye. He is certainly a credit to the city and is worthy the patronage of all.

If you want to invest in a farm or city property, call on or write C. D. Herdman.



PICTURESQUE SCENE IN RESERVOIR PARK.

all time to come and over all opposition.

We want to call attention to our weekly edition. In January, 1901, in order to carry out our policy of giving to our patrons all we can possibly secure without additional cost to them, we converted the weekly into a semi-weekly and it has been published ever since twice a week, on Wednesdays and Saturdays, both papers for the price of one. This brought a marvelously fast increase in our semi-weekly subscription list, which is still growing handsomely and attaining to enormous proportions, and which makes it an advertising medium unexcelled.

We take an especial pride in our



BEAUTIFUL SCENE ON DRAKE'S CREEK.



COUNTY COURT DAY SCENE—STATE STREET, FROM CITY HALL.



COUNTY COURT DAY SCENE ON PARK SQUARE.

The Winners in Our Beauty Contest

Our anniversary edition would not be, could not be, complete, without at least some representation of the beautiful maidenhood and matronhood of Bowling Green and Warren

County. It is an admitted fact that our section can boast more beautiful women than are to be found within the same scope of territory anywhere on the habitable globe. We are sor-

ry we could not use cuts of them all, but this was impossible, and we did the next best thing, left to a popular vote of our subscribers the selection of four maids and one matron to represent all the others, and they selected those whose cuts adorn this page. We feel sure that all who look at these likenesses will agree with us that the people by their votes made five very happy selections.



1. MISS GOLDIE BURCH.
4. MISS ANNIE MAIE MOSELEY.

3. MRS. A. S. HINES.

2. MISS LAURA WOOD.
5. MISS DAISY BEARCE.

J. W. CAMPBELL.

Has One of the Most Modern Jewelry Stores in This Section.

A jewelry store which would be a credit to any city many times the size of Bowling Green is that of Mr. J. W. Campbell, at 906 State street, this city. The store is one of the most modernly furnished in this section and the arrangement of the interior

is a credit to the artistic skill of Mr. Campbell and his assistants.

The furnishings are among the handsomest to be found here, and the goods displayed consist of a wealth of diamonds, other jewels, artistic designs in gold, silver, cut glass, bric-a-brac and such things which appeal to every one alike, be he rich or poor; and Mr. Campbell has something to please the purses and tastes of both. He is his own decorator and his windows attract as much attention as any

merchant could desire. This popular jeweler has the reputation of being one of the most skilled watch makers and repairers in the South. He is at present making a specialty of engraved and embossed stationery and the work which his firm executes is unexcelled. He carries a line of samples, including letter heads, note heads, calling cards, wedding invitations, envelopes and everything in this line which is used by the swiftest sets in New York and London.

Mr. Campbell is both an optician and an oculist and he carries in stock the finest line of nose glasses and bow glasses ever placed on the market here. He will fit you while you wait, but if this is not possible will order any sort of spectacles you may desire. In dealing with him you know everything he represents is true and that he is responsible for any statement he may make. He is a progressive and liberal minded business man and besides his own interests has the interest of the entire business community at least. He is well and favorably known and stands high socially.

Society people rely upon his judgment, particularly in the selection of fine china, cut glass, stationery and bric-a-brac. His house is the place to find the prettiest and latest in everything, especially in birthday, wedding and anniversary presents. He carries no old stock as his sales are so rapid nothing has a chance to become antiquated or out of date. Mr. Campbell's trade is not limited to Bowling Green and Warren County, but he has

a personal following throughout this section of the State and his friends seek him first when in need of anything ordinarily carried by a first-class and sure enough up-to-date and progressive jeweler and optician.

If you have a friend who is going to marry, a wife or sweetheart who is going to have a birthday, call on Mr. Campbell if you are in doubt as to what to select as a remembrance. He will be sure to please you as well as the one in whom you are interested.

For real estate see C. D. Herdman.



REV. T. J. HAYES.



J. WHIT POTTER.

COL. CHARLES L. DAUGHTRY.

A Prominent Farmer and Member of the Confederate Home Committee.

Col. Charles L. Daughtry, who resides in a lovely home six miles from the city and about one and one-half miles from Bristow, has the distinction of being one of the youngest, if not the youngest, soldiers in the Confederate army. He was only fourteen years of age when he enlisted.

Col. Daughtry, who has acquired the title since the war, was born in Sumner County, Tenn., September 18, 1847. He came to this county in 1868 and for ten years was a resident of Bowling Green.

During the war, with the exception of one year in prison at Camp Chase, the young soldier was in Company B of Lard's regiment of cavalry under Gen. John H. Morgan's command. He was paroled at Washington, Ga., just after Gen. Lee surrendered. He has been a member of the Bowling Green Confederate Camp since it was organized. At the State Confederate reunion in Louisville in October last, he was appointed a member of the Confederate Home Committee to solicit subscriptions in Warren, Allen, Simpson and Barren counties. This spring he was appointed by Gen. John Poyntz, chief commissary of the Kentucky division U. C. V., with the rank of lieutenant-colonel.

Mr. Daughtry is very proud of being of Scotch-Irish origin. He is an Odd Fellow and a progressive and genial man. He calls his country home "Rose Villa."

TOWNSEND & VALENTI.

A Popular Drug Firm Doing a Splendid Business.

Something over twenty years ago Dr. G. E. Townsend and his learned brother, Dr. T. J. Townsend, both practicing physicians of renown throughout the State, came to this city from Logan County and located for the practice of their profession. They soon became popular and were kept going night and day. This so impaired Dr. G. E. Townsend's health that he was forced to abandon the field he had selected for a life profession and entered the drug business. He has since conducted one of the handsomest and most popular stores of its kind in Bowling Green. In 1896 Mr. Philip Valenti purchased an interest in the establish-

ment and the firm has since been Townsend & Valenti. It has increased in growth and popularity until today it is one of the best conducted drug stores in the State.

The store is a model one, its furnishings being the very latest. All of the show cases, cabinets and furniture was manufactured to order.

In addition to their large prescription business, general line of drugs, patent medicines, toilet articles, paints, oils and everything in that line, the firm has one of the largest stocks of optical goods carried by any house in Kentucky. Dr. Townsend is an able optician and gives this department his special supervision. He has glasses to fit any eye and makes

careful examination of patients before recommending any particular lens. All glasses are sold under a positive guarantee.

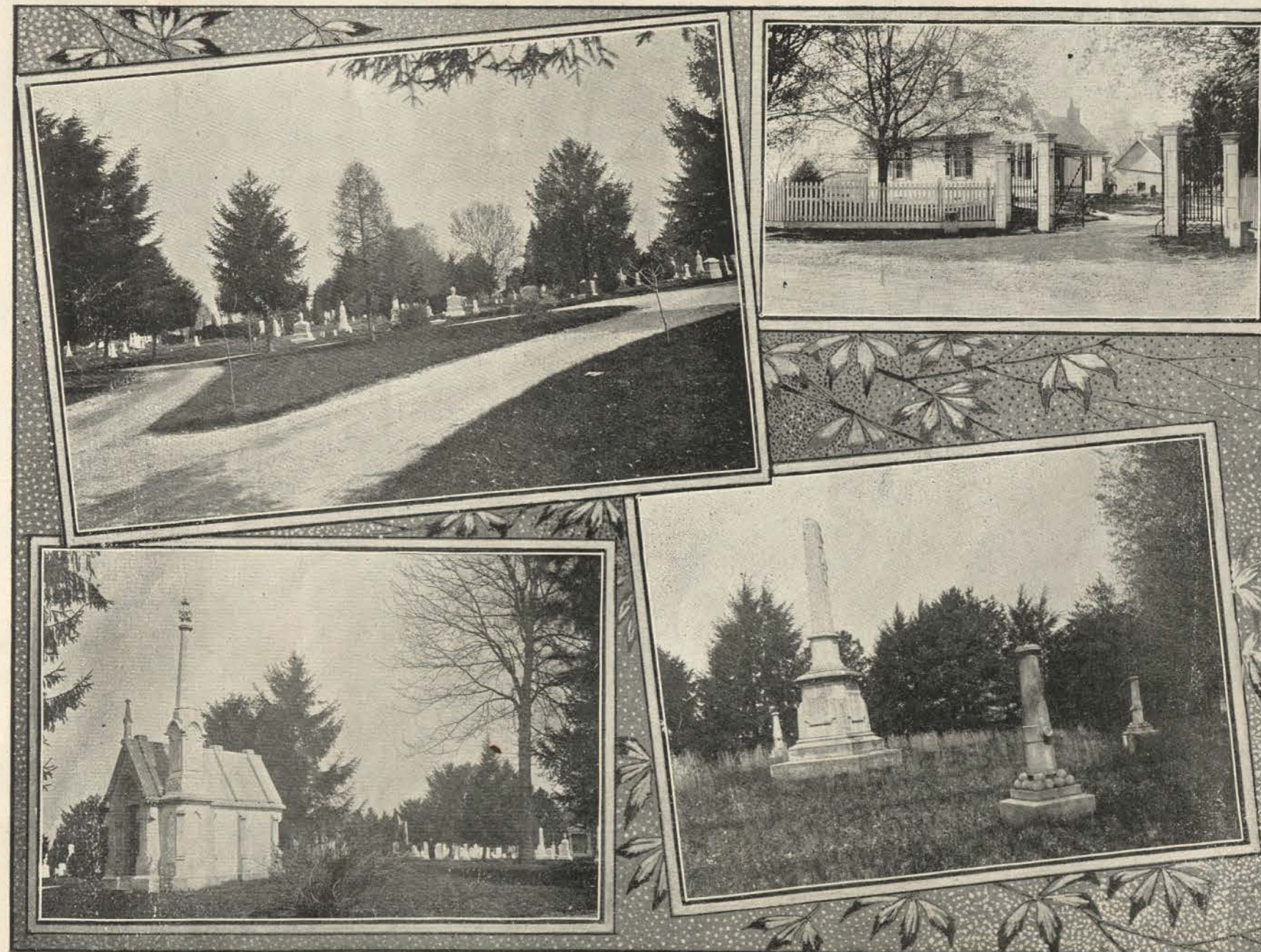
The firm's business has so increased that it recently became necessary to secure the services of an assistant pharmacist and Dr. S. E. Carr, of Jeffersonville, one of the foremost druggists of Indiana, was induced to come here and assist in the prescription department. Dr. Townsend made one of the most popular mayors Bowling Green ever had. Mr. Valenti is young, popular socially, and progressive. The combination is a splendid one.

For real estate see C. D. Herdman.



GERARD'S UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT.

Fairview, the Beautiful City of the Dead



LOOKING NORTH FROM MAIN ENTRANCE.
OGDEN VAULT; POTTER VAULT AT EXTREME RIGHT.

MAIN ENTRANCE AND SEXTON'S RESIDENCE.
CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS' MONUMENT.

J. W. CAMPBELL'S JEWELRY STORE.

Bowling Green, the "City of Parks"

Its geographical advantages makes Bowling Green one of the most important cities of the State, and its bountiful gifts of nature make it one of the prettiest. Aside from its mercantile and manufacturing advantages the city possesses a charm for those seeking residence, as is attested by the hundreds of families who move here during the course of a year. Some for the betterment of their financial conditions. Some to seek a social prominence to which they aspire. Others to embrace the unsurpassed educational advantages, but all to find a home among the best, most hospitable and attractive people in the world. The city possesses a population of nearly 15,000, and is beautifully located in a valley and is entirely surrounded by hills. From any of the prominent eminences the city presents a most charming scene. Its grand old shade trees are the admiration of every stranger who enters her gates.

No prettier or more charming spot could have been chosen for the founding of a city; and to nature's gifts has been added man's industry.

Situated on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, 114 miles south of Louisville, and near the intersection of the Memphis branch with the main line, and at the head of the slack water navigation of Green and Barren rivers, Bowling Green enjoys unusual facilities for communication with all parts of the country. Two regular lines of freight and passenger steamers ply between here and Evansville, Ind., and what is a little remarkable, navigation is never suspended by the ice in winter or by low water in summer. These water-ways, at all times open and now free of tolls, afford a healthy competition with the railroads, and give a vantage ground to Bowling Green not

enjoys many of the advantages of the larger cities. Its business blocks are tall, substantial brick and stone structures, and its well paired streets are

lighting, and its people have long since enjoyed the advantages of a natural sewerage system. Its educational facilities are unsurpassed by any city in

ladies, Ogden College for young men, Southern Normal and Bowling Green Business College, Potter Bible College and Saint Columbia's Academy, all institutions of learning of distinguished



REV. J. H. EARLY.

possessed by many inland cities in the State. Bowling Green is a modern municipality of about 12,000 inhabitants, and



INTERIOR VIEW OF ST. JOSEPH CHURCH.

lined with pretty and comfortable homes. It is cosmopolitan because it is modern. The city owns and operates its system of water works and street

the State, and besides a most excellent system of public schools conducted after the most approved plans, it is the home of Potter College for young



RESIDENCE OF DR. J. O. CARSON.



TENTH-STREET ENTRANCE TO RESERVOIR PARK, SHOWING KEEPER'S RESIDENCE AND ZOOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.



REV. W. T. WELLS.

merit. But no sketch of Bowling Green, not even a bird's-eye view, such as this, would be complete without mention of its parks. Nestling right in the heart of the town, "knee-deep in meadow grass and half hid with roses," is as pretty a little gem as ever graced a city's breast. This gem is one of Bowling Green's parks—ornamented with statuary, supplied with a large fountain, whose falling water makes continual melody; filled every summer night with a gay and happy throng of idlers seeking fresh air; resonant with the glad laughter of hundreds of



REV. W. T. FERGUSON.



ST. JOSEPH CEMETERY, FROM ENTRANCE.

children at play; it is a lovely spot, and has yielded back the cost of it a hundred times over.

Around the reservoir there is a larger park containing some ten or twelve acres, artistically laid off and platted, and filled with every variety of tree indigenous to the soil—a place

good market for the farmers' wheat; an extensive ax-handle plant engaged in working up the hickory woods of the county; several lumber mills, manufacturing the immense quantities of logs from up Barren river; an electric

month; two large foundries, employing a good force of hands; bottling works which ships its wares all over the country; cigar factory, giving employment to a number of skilled workmen; one of the largest ice factories in the

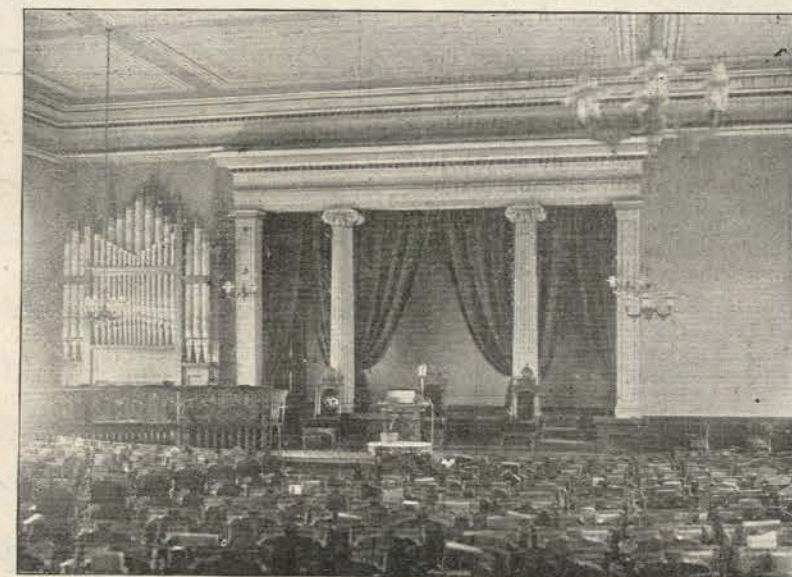


REV. WM. LUNSFORD

whose beautiful scenery affords a constant feast to every eye which enjoys the beautiful and every heart which is touched by Nature's handiwork.

These two little parks afford an insight to the spirit of the people of this little city, which is a spirit not only of progress, but of that kind of progress which elevates and ennoble as well as enriches.

Whilst this place has never been extensively engaged in manufacturing, still it has always had many industries which offer employment to the people and bring revenue to the city. It has two large flouring mills, affording a



INTERIOR VIEW OF MAIN-STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.

street car line running across the town and to the river; a head, stave and barrel factory; a large tobacco factory with an output of 12,000 pounds per

State and numerous other enterprises of more or less importance. The business houses of merchants and bankers, and the private resi-

dences of the citizens are of the most substantial and attractive kind, and betoken prosperity and thrift and that comfortable ease that springs from an equable distribution of wealth. There is a remarkable absence of individual poverty—a miserable hovel couched beside a magnificent palace is a sight never seen in Bowling Green.

Not only is this place attractive as a business point and as an educational center, but as a place of residence it is simply delightful. The mild and genial climate, the unsurpassed beauty of the surrounding scenery, the generous yield of grain from field and fruit from orchard and succulent vegetable from garden, the culture and refinement of citizen and resident, the high moral tone of "priest and people"—all combine to make this, as a place of residence, one of almost unequalled attractiveness. It is said with pardonable pride by some of the enthusiastic dwellers here "that no man who had ever lived in Bowling Green twelve months ever left it and did not return, if alive; and if he died, he gave directions that his last sleep should be beneath the clear sky and under the green sod of the "City of the Dead," lying just beyond the gates and to the eastward.

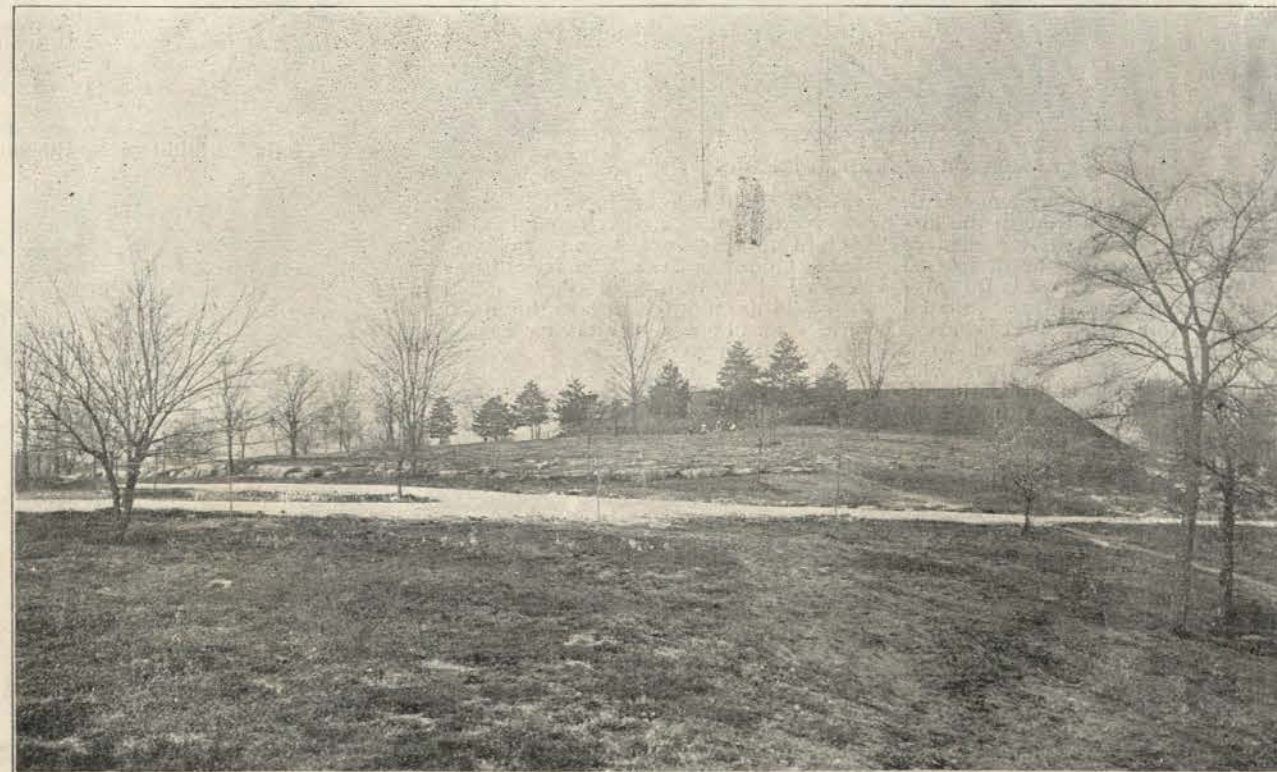
There is no city in the State that can boast of a larger share of spiritual prosperity. Its people are permeated with the devotional spirit to a degree that places Bowling Green among the religious strongholds of the country. And perhaps no city of equal size can boast of a greater number of handsome church edifices. There are now many buildings, stately in architecture, of various denominations erected throughout the city and suburbs, and attended by large and increasing congregations, and served by ardent and devoted ministers of God.

The churches are: First Baptist,



REV. C. W. B. HILL.

Second Baptist, First Presbyterian, Dellafield Presbyterian, Cumberland Presbyterian, St. Joseph's Catholic, M. E. Church South, M. E. Church North,



RESERVOIR, FROM OLD FORT.

Tenth-street Christian, Christ Episcopal, Twelfth-street Christian and Seventh Day Adventists.

The Y. M. C. A., organized something over a year ago, has handsomely furnished quarters in the Settle-Coombs building, and is doing splendid work in reforming the morals of the youth of the city.

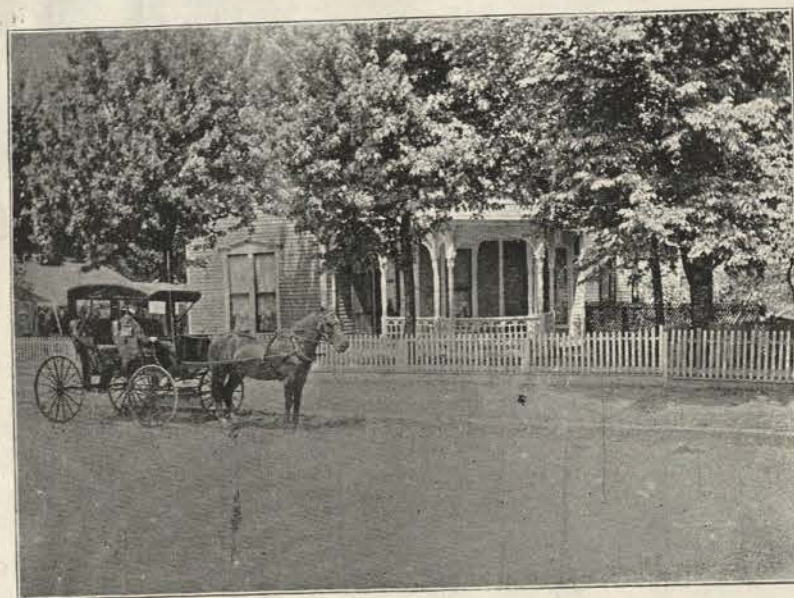
The city is most admirably located for a trade center. The surrounding country, including a large number of towns of more or less importance, is almost exclusive territory to the city in most of the lines of retail trade. Besides this, as the chief city of this section of the State, Bowling Green is, of course, the natural market for the products of this region, and thus a large amount of custom is drawn here to swell the general aggregate of its annual trade.

Lying within a few miles of the corporate limits are vast quantities of coal of a fine grade, much of which is suitable for cooking purposes. Only a little beyond, and in the same immediate vicinity, are almost inexhaustible stores of iron ore of a superior type. In fact, about the first iron ever made in Kentucky was made at the furnace in Edmonson county, only a short distance from Bowling Green. It is only a question of a little time when these storehouses of wealth will be opened, and when this is done this place will naturally and inevitably become the beneficiary; steel plants and rolling mills will find their location here.

Located near the city are several stone quarries of rare excellence. From two of them is shipped white building stone of the most beautiful kind, and it finds ready market everywhere, and can be seen in houses from New York to Texas. The curbing and flagging stone is also shipped in large quantities, and the supply is without limit.

Stock raising in the county is an industry now being assiduously followed, and as a consequence Bowling Green has, in the past few years, become one of the largest and most important horse and mule markets in the State.

There is a pronounced and steady increase in the value of property, and there are the best reasons for this fact.



RESIDENCE OF JOHN W. BEARCE.

But this is only the commencement, and never was there a time in the history of the city when better chances of appreciation were apparent in real estate investments. There is no false boom here, nor are there inflated prices, but a solid, substantial progress which is bound to bear good fruit. Capitalists, investors and others who are looking for a suitable location in which to add to their wealth will do well to look in this direction for a profitable field. With natural and acquired advantages which are rarely equalled, Bowling Green is prepared to offer opportunities for placing of capital which must conduce to profit of all who are judicious in their selections of property. The field is here and it only wants capital to cultivate it, and the crop will come in profusion at the appointed time.

Some of the general advantages of Bowling Green are:

First—It is located in one of the richest and most productive agricultural and mineral sections of Kentucky.

Second—It possesses admirable rail-



RESIDENCE OF WM. J. POTTER.

way and water facilities, connecting it with the entire country, and opening up all parts for its products.

Third—It has long distance telephone connection with all parts of America, and two telegraph and cable companies covering the whole world; is lighted by electricity, and has good natural drainage and water works.

Fourth—The public school system is conducted upon a satisfactory basis, and its colleges have long since made it an educational center of note. The social advantages are numerous, the tone of society healthy and the morals of the community beyond cavi.

Fifth—The cost of living is much lower than in most places in the country.

Sixth—The surroundings are delightful, the climate mild and equable; there are no epidemics, the locality being generally free from prevailing sickness.

Seventh—The city already established a substantial wholesale and manufacturing business. Available sites for manufacturing are plenty and low in price, and residence property obtainable upon equally advantageous terms.



RESIDENCE OF HON. C. U. McELROY.

its population since the former census. Our property tax rate is only \$1 on the \$100, which is less than any city of the third class in the State and by far less than any of the larger cities. The poll tax is \$1.50. There are over fifty miles of macadamized streets, which will compare with any in the country, and more than one hundred miles of paved sidewalks. The city at present has seventy-two street arc electric lights and in a very short while will increase the number twenty-five.

The water works, owned by the city, is one of the best in Kentucky. It has a capacity of 3,000,000 gallons a day and a reservoir with a capacity of 1,000,000 gallons a day. There are more than 1,800 service attachments and seventy-five meters for factories and the larger plants. There are 115 fire hydrants. Over 1,000,000 gallons of water is daily consumed in Bowling Green. The pressure for fire purposes is seventy-five pounds to the square inch. By this pressure the fire companies are enabled to throw water over the tallest buildings in the city.



RESIDENCE OF CHAS. P. MOTTLEY.

and owing to the excellency of the department, insurance rates have been kept as low as anywhere in the State.

There are two fire stations, one on State street, between Tenth and Eleventh, and the other at Main street and the railroad crossing. Capt. James H. Wilkerson is Chief of the fire department and David Harrison is assistant chief. The engine company at the No. 1 station is composed of David Harrison, captain; John Cartright, Joe Ryan and Alex. Patterson. The No. 1 Hook and Ladder Company is composed of Porter Dodd, captain; Will Blackburn and John Sublett. Jake Moltenberry is captain of the No. 2's. The other members are Charles Harrison, J. C. Graham and Walter Harvey.

The reduction of crime here is a striking compliment to the efficiency of the police force, which is superior in point of intellect and in other ways to many places larger than Bowling Green. Col. Henry James is chief of the department and is assisted by John Wiggand, M. J. McAuliffe, R. E. Dillard, Thomas A. Potter and W. T. McIntire. Capt. Thomas Reagan is

the station-house keeper.

The city officials, regular, are: Dr. John H. Mallory, Mayor. Joseph G. Covington, City Attorney. J. E. Potter, Treasurer. G. S. Hollingsworth, Clerk. George R. Gorin, Judge of the Police Court.

H. H. Denhardt, Prosecuting Attorney of the Police Court.

J. D. Hines, City Tax Collector.

W. H. Wooten, Assessor.

William Carr, chairman, and Dr. S. M. Coombs and J. Briggs Kirby constitute the Board of Public Works.

J. H. Wilkerson is City Engineer. Robert Roulston, superintendent of Fairview cemetery; Owen Nugent, superintendent of the water works; John Sullivan, superintendent of electric lights, and J. T. White, keeper of Reservoir Park.

The members of the City Council are: Robert Atkinson, Dr. E. T. Barr, John Dean, John Donnelly, Lon Dodd, H. D. Graham, L. A. Jenkins, F. L. Kister, Jr., Max B. Nahm, W. H. Phillips, J. B. Sumpter and George T. Wilson.

HENRY F. STOVALL.

Leading Gent's Furnisher and Husling Young Business Man.

One of the most attractive establishments in this city is the men's furnishing house of H. F. Stovall, on Main street. He has only recently moved into his new home in the handsome Odd Fellows' building, but has been there sufficiently long to get in a select stock of everything men wear and to arrange his place attractively.

Mr. Stovall has been in the furnishing business on his own account about five years. When he went in he did so with the intention of becoming the leader here in this particular line of business. How well he has succeeded in this ambition is attested by the thousands of friends who are his constant patrons.

He carries the newest of everything in the market and constantly is looking out for the "latest." Consequently the men of Bowling Green and Warren County have the same



RESIDENCE OF W. R. WATKINS.

FARNSWORTH & STOUT.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Drugs and Sundries.

One of the largest drug stores in the state is that of Farnsworth & Stout, located at the corner of Main and Adams streets, this city. In addition to the retail department they have a wholesale store adjoining and supply much of the trade tributary to Bowling Green. The firm is composed of Mr. J. M. Farnsworth and Mr. E. B. Stout, than whom there are no more popular or better known men in local business circles.

Farnsworth & Stout formed their partnership in January, 1894, and their success has been remarkable. Their business has had a healthy growth since the firm started and is still increasing. Their prescription department is in the hands of graduates of pharmacy. They carry a complete line of druggists' sundries, paints, oils, varnishes and such things. They have the best selections of soaps, perfumes

C.D.Herdman writes fire insurance.



RESIDENCE OF JUDGE JOHN B. GRIDER.



RESIDENCE OF JUDGE W. E. SETTLE.

and toilet articles ever brought to the city. Their stock of cigars, tobaccos and pipes is unexcelled. In their warerooms they have a vast amount of fine old whiskey, wines and liquors of all kinds for all purposes and every drop is sold with a guarantee of its purity.

Both Mr. Farnsworth and Mr. Stout are extremely courteous and they make a happy and popular combination. They deliver prescriptions, drugs or any article they handle to any part of the city without extra charge. They deserve the rich success with which they have met and by their honorable business methods and fair treatment of all give promise of still greatly increasing their already large trade.

WEBB'S HOTEL.

A Modern Hostelry With a Fine Patronage.

One of the most famous hostleries on the whole Louisville and Nashville railroad system is Webb's Hotel, this city. It is one of the larg-

the State, and in addition has hot and cold baths on every floor. The tables abound with all the delicacies the market affords and Capt. Webb never buys anything but the best. The cuisine is unexcelled and is in charge of leading exponents of the culinary art. Capt. Webb not only stands high in business circles, but is one of the most popular men who ever resided here.

If you expect to visit Bowling Green it would be well to keep Webb's Hotel in mind. It is located on Adams street, just opposite the L. & N. passenger station.

W. R. WATKINS.

Large Dealer in Furniture of All Kinds.

Nothing is more attractive or more highly appreciated by a man of domestic habits than a lovely home. The home can not be made attractive without furniture, but there is plenty of it to be had at prices to suit any purse. One of the largest furniture houses in this section is that of Mr. W. R. Watkins, on College street. The building is an imposing one and one of the finest in the city. The beauty, however, is in the interior, where thousands of dollars' worth of furniture and articles which accompany it are stored.

Mr. Watkins has been more successful than most men and that success has been due not only to the superior assortment carried by him and to the low prices quoted, but also to his business sagacity and the honorable methods he employs in dealing with a customer.

Twenty-three years is a long time to devote to a single vocation, but still many of Mr. Watkins' best customers are those he first sold years ago when his enterprise was in its infancy. That these old friends still stick by him is pretty good evidence they know where to go for what they want realizing they have ever been treated fairly and courteously and assured they will always be so treated.

In this big assortment of furniture can be found parlor suits, made from the plainest to the most fashionable modes; bed room sets at prices from



RESIDENCE OF CHAS. L. DAUGHTRY.

est and most modernly conducted establishments of its kind in Southern Kentucky and rightfully enjoys a liberal patronage.

Capt. James H. Webb and his hotel are both popular with the traveling public and many friends of the house travel miles frequently in order to have the pleasure of remaining there over Sunday.

It was about thirteen years ago that Capt. Webb, who for twenty-five years prior to that, was a passenger conductor on the L. & N., assumed the management of the hotel. It was then the Ranscher House, but the name was changed and many improvements made which have caused it to be classed as one of the best hotels in the State.

The hotel is perfectly appointed throughout and is equipped with all modern improvements. It has forty-five elegantly furnished and well-ventilated bed rooms; attractive parlors; large sample rooms; a handsome office; polite and courteous attendants; one of the handsomest and most commodious dining rooms in

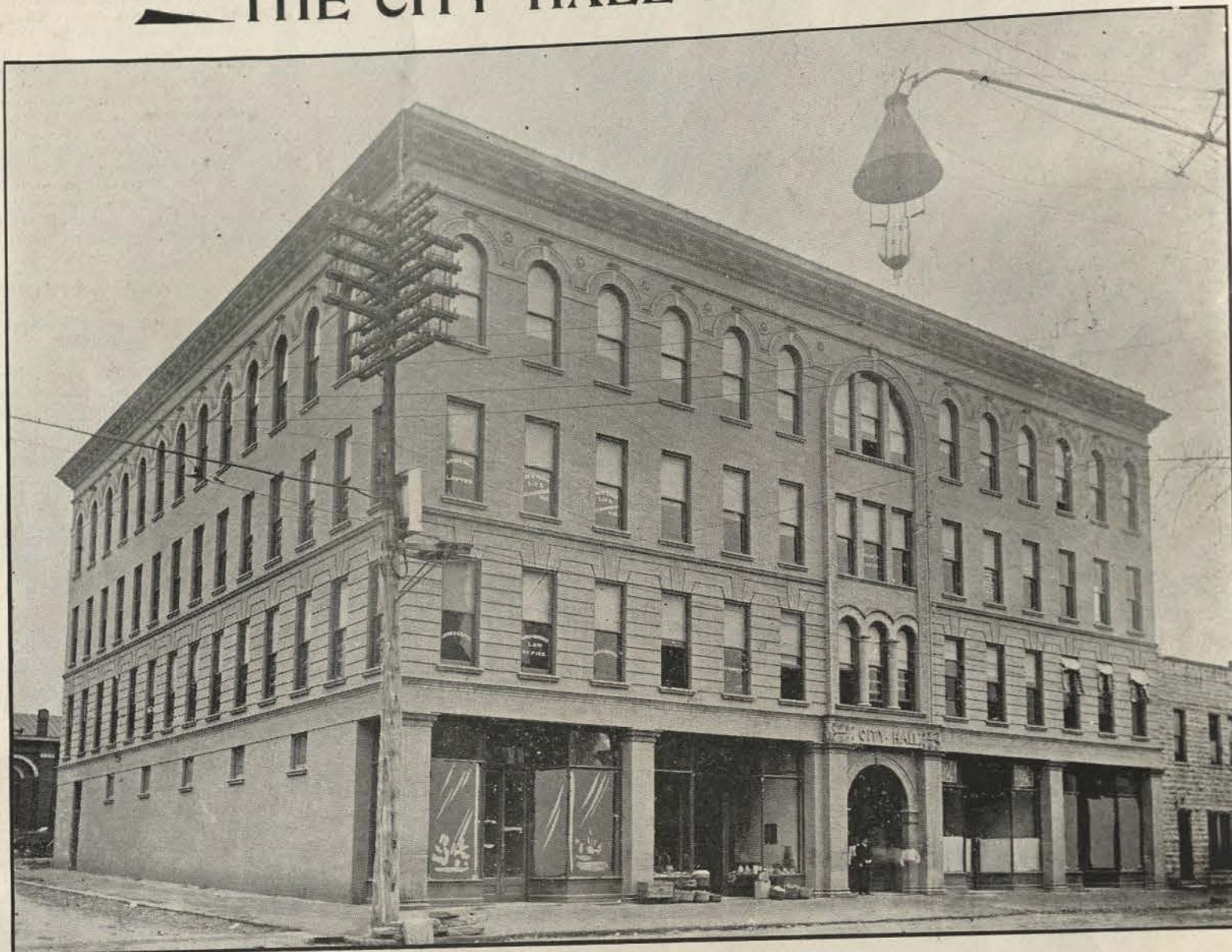
the lowest to the highest, beds, chairs, sofas, mattresses, cradles, tables, dining sets, carpets, matings, rugs and anything with which a home can be beautified and made comfortable.

This big stock fills the house from cellar to the fourth floor and several hours could be pleasantly spent in inspecting the goods. It is a pleasure to Mr. Watkins and his salesmen to display their goods whether you purchase or not, but after looking over the pretty furniture and learning the prices it is most frequently a difficult matter to refrain from buying.

Mr. Watkins is a devoted husband and father. He has a charming family and one of the most delightful homes in the city. He is one of the prominent churchmen of Bowling Green and a citizen whom all admire.

Warren county has over 120 miles of macadamized roads.

If you want to invest in a farm or city property, call on or write C. D. Herdman.



WILLIAM SCHUTZ

Merchant Tailor and All Around
Good Fellow.

Mr. Schutz has never gone into politics on a very large scale, but is popular with all factions, and is satisfied to let the other fellows hold the

R. C. Posey, Park City Bowling Alley, Bowling Green Gas Light Co. News Office, R. B. Hines & Co., Edgar Grider & Co., Sims & Grider, Misses Sumpter, Equitable Life Insurance Co., City Offices and Council Chamber, Sun Life Insurance Co., Bowling Green Brokerage and Com-

offices if they will let him make their clothes. He is a most pleasant and companionable man and makes friends with all with whom he comes in contact. He is still in business at the old stand on Main street and solicits a continuance of the patronage of his friends and invites others who have never before been his customers to call and inspect his large assortment of piece goods, promising

The building is 100 by 103 feet in dimensions, with an area of 40,000 square feet but in addition to this Drs. McCormack are just completing another handsome building adjoining the City Hall building, which shows up-to-date buildings in Bowling Green are good interest-bearing investments.

them low prices, perfect work and the best goods for the money.

Bowling Green has the lowest tax rate of any city of the third class in the State of Kentucky.

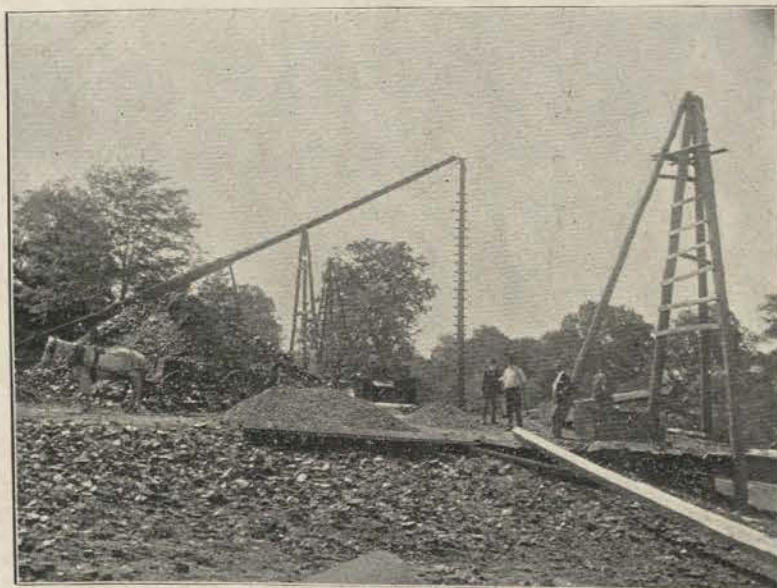
If you want to invest in a farm or city property, call on or write C. D. Herdman.

Warren county has six banks,
all in sound, fine condition.

COL. W. H. JONES.

Circuit Court Clerk of the County of
Warren.

Col. Jones was born in this county September 6, 1853. He attended the country schools, the public schools of Louisville and the old Warren College, which turned out so many boys who have since grown to be men of affairs. Col. Jones first a taste of officeholding in 1882, when he was elected City Clerk. He held this position until 1887, when he resigned to become United States District Court Clerk at Deadwood, S. D., under Judge Charles Thomas. Mr. Cleveland afterwards appointed Mr. Jones a United States Commissioner and he served in this dual capacity until 1891, when he returned to Bowling Green. He then engaged in the manufacture of ice and in 1896 was elected Circuit Clerk, which position he has since held. His office is one of the best conducted in the State. The lawyers and litigants are at all times treated with the utmost courtesy and the state's interests are admirably looked after.



ELEVATOR OF WEST ABERDEEN COAL COMPANY

THE SUN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.



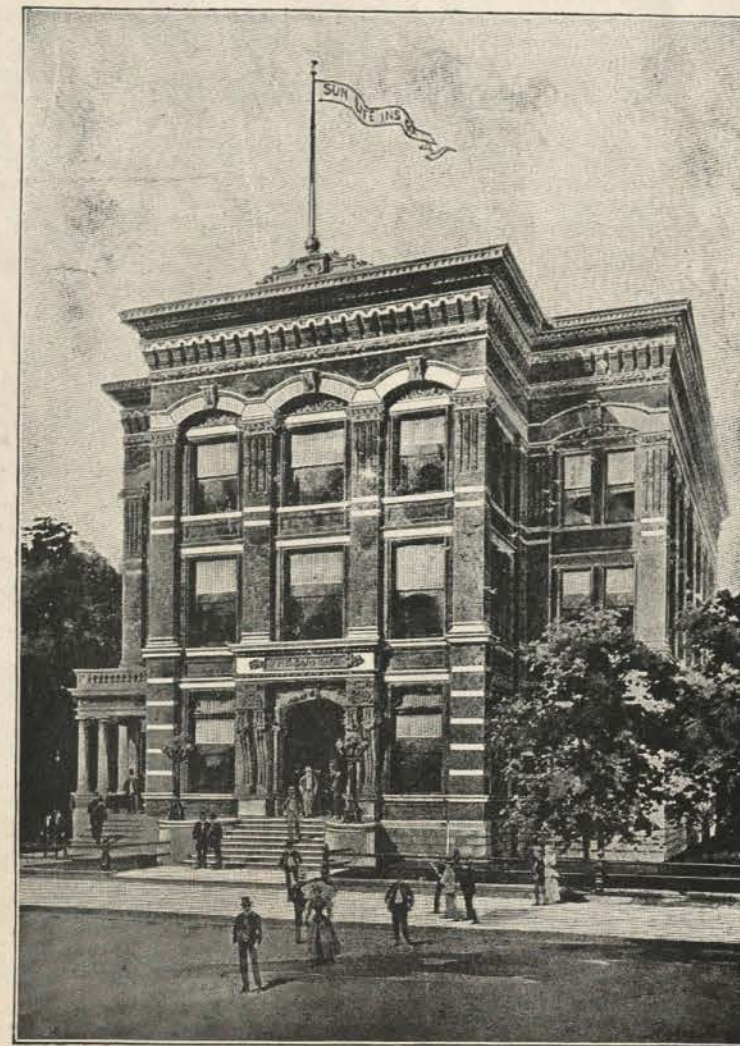
The Sun Life opened its Bowling Green offices in October, 1892, and

A SOUND INSTITUTION

Is the Banking House of Potter,
Matlock & Company.

The management of the bank's affairs are in the hands of those two popular, careful and painstaking gentlemen, J. Whit Potter and S. M. Matlock. The deposits in this bank's vaults go up into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. With each annual or semi-annual statement made by its officers the bank becomes more popular as it continues to increase its volume of business and its profits for its stockholders.

Fifteen dollars a month house rent would enable you to pay \$180 a year on a home of your own, and in ten years you would be an \$1,800 residence ahead. C. D. Herdman has a number of desirable residences which he will sell on easy monthly payments. See him.



ITS HOME OFFICE BUILDING, LOUISVILLE, KY.

The Company has issued a very attractive illustrated pamphlet, entitled "The Story of Galveston," which may be had upon application to Supt. Montague in the City Hall Building.

A. M. CAUSEY,

The Hustling Manager of the Western Union Telegraph Office.

The Western Union Telegraph Company finds it has occasion to congratulate itself upon the fact of securing the services of Mr. A. M. Causey as local manager. He formerly represented the Postal Telegraph Company in Bowling Green, but transferred his services to the Western Union and increased the volume of that company's business here fully 100 per cent. Mr. Causey was born in this county November 5, 1871. He was educated for his profession at the Bowling Green Business College and is an expert operator. During the Spanish-American war Mr. Causey went to Cuba with the Third Kentucky regiment, but with that exception he has been constantly at the key in this city since 1894. Mr. Causey is a Mason and a very popular and pleasant gentleman. He recently added to his happiness by wedding a very pretty Louisville girl.

stoves and all sorts of gas appliances.
The Bowling Green Railway Com-

The Bowling Green Railway Company is now extending its line and has in contemplation a number of other improvements which will add greatly to the efficiency and profit of the service. It will be but a short while until cars pass the Catholic church and enter Dellafella through a much more desirable route. This will be a great pleasure and convenience to the hundreds of Catholics who reside up town, as well as the residents of Dellafella and the many who patronize the boat lines or whose business calls them to the river.

Our beautiful and well-kept parks would be a credit to any city four times the size of Bowling Green.

Bowling Green has the cleanest and best streets of any city of its size in the country.



INTERIOR OF R. C. POSEY'S GROCERY

The natural resources of Warren and the counties immediately surrounding are all that could be desired to make this one of the leading manufacturing towns of the South. We have plenty of timber, coal in abundance, and iron ore of the very finest grade may be had in within a stone's throw of Warren county. What we need is capital. Men of means in other sections who are looking for a safe investment of their capital are invited to visit us, and investigate the many natural advantages of this section.

Buy you a home and quit renting.
See C. D. Herdman.

Members of the Local Legal Profession

HON. N. A. PORTER.

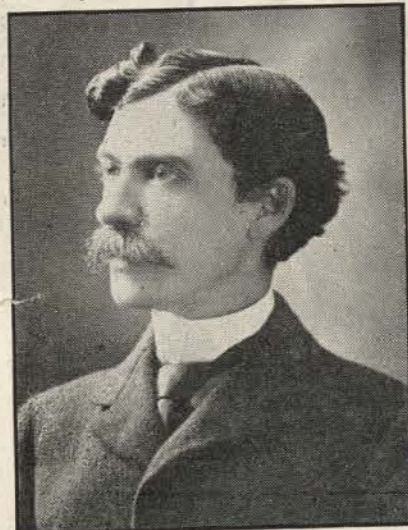
Hon. N. A. Porter, who has so ably represented this district as Commonwealth's Attorney for a number of years, is a native of Butler County. He is one of the ablest and most vigorous prosecuting attorneys in the



HON. JOHN M. WILKINS.

State. He has made himself what he is and his record at the bar will live long after him.

Mr. Porter was admitted to practice in 1879 and has since resided in Bowling Green. Upon the death of his brother, Hon. John M. Porter, a good many years ago, Mr. Porter was appointed to succeed him as Commonwealth's Attorney for this, the then Fifth Judicial district. The senior Mr. Porter was a most charming personality, a gifted lawyer and a Confederate soldier with a notable record. When the State was re-districted Mr. Nat Porter was thrown into the Eighth district, which it is at present, and he has been in office continuously since his brother's death. He has several times been elected without opposition, which is not only indicative of his personal popularity, but is a tribute to his ability as a lawyer and his efficiency as a prosecutor. It is in his speeches



HON. C. U. McELROY.

before juries that Mr. Porter excels. He is personally affable. He is well read, a delightful conversationalist, and a most lovable and companionable gentleman.

HON. JOS. G. COVINGTON.

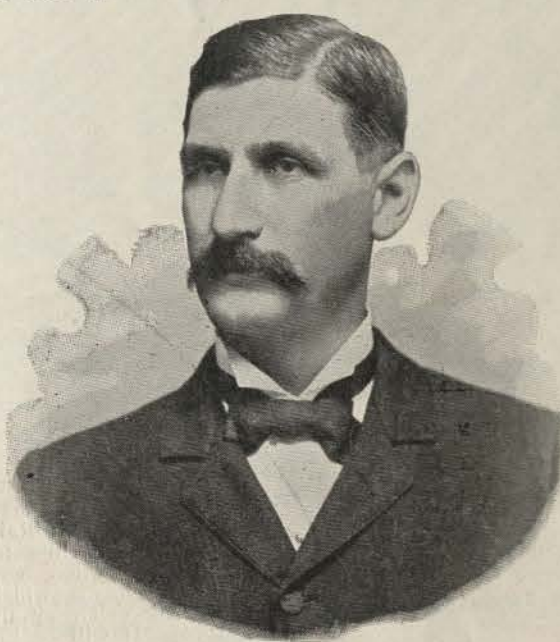
Hon. Joseph G. Covington has the legal affairs of the city in his keeping and is one of the best city attorneys Bowling Green has ever had. This is the first year he has filled that official position, but is discharging the duties required with the greatest satisfaction. Mr. Covington was one of the first graduates of Ogden College. He also graduated from the law department of the University of Virginia. He is a director in the Citizens' National Bank and a member of some of the leading secret societies of the city, among them the Masons, the Elks, Knights of Pythias and A. O. U. W.

He is now serving as grand pre-

ate in the grand lodge K. of P.'s of this State, and holds the first chair in the local Masonic lodge. Since his early college days Mr. Covington has enjoyed the reputation of being a high class and pleasing orator. His services are always in demand on occasions of importance. He is a Democrat in politics and his services as a stump speaker are valuable to the party. While he has a lucrative law practice, he is not dependent upon this, as fortune has been exceedingly lavish with him. Mr. Covington is yet a young man and his prospects are brilliant and flattering.

HON. B. W. BRADBURN.

Hon. B. W. Bradburn, the subject of this sketch, is one of our best known and most popular citizens. He is yet comparatively a young man, having been born in Simpson county on April 16, 1855. Mr. Bradburn is wholly and essentially a self-made man and a conspicuous example of what may be accomplished in this country by ability, pluck and perseverance. Raised on a farm, he attended the district schools and later made his way by teaching, and afterward took up the study of



HON. NAT A. PORTER.

law and was admitted to the bar at Scottville on July 14, 1878. He launched into the practice with nothing to back him but his native ability and determination to succeed and meet with better success than is achieved by most young lawyers, and was soon established in his profession. He remained in Scottville twelve years, during which time, in 1881, he was appointed County Attorney, and the following year was elected by the people as a Democrat and served four years, declining to stand for re-election. After his twelve years' practice at Scottville he went to Vernon, Tex., where he remained three years, and, in 1893, came to Bowling Green and formed a partnership with the Hon. John M. Wilkins, which continued for five years, when he associated himself with the Hon. Lewis McQuown, and the firm of McQuown & Bradburn is still one of the most prominent in

been heard effectively in every campaign, county, State and national. No man deserves better treatment at the hands of his party and no man ever proves more faithful to a trust or discharges a public duty with more fidelity and ability.

JUDGE CHARLES DRAKE.

County Judge Charles Drake, like a majority of the members of the Bowling Green bar, is of local origin. He was born in this city July 14, 1856, but when two years of age his father took him to the country, where he was reared. He received his education in the common schools and at old Warren College. He attended the law department of Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn. In 1881 he began the practice of his profession in this city with the late Judge W. H. Payne, the firm being Payne &

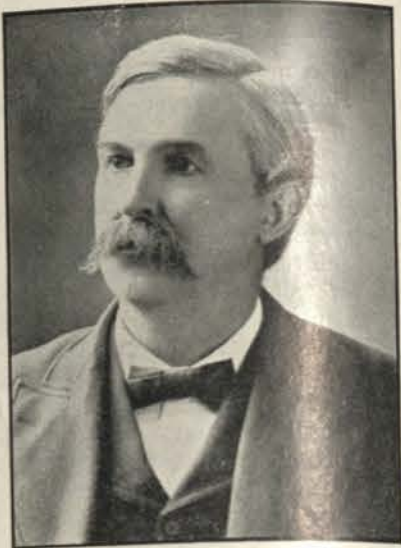


RESIDENCE OF HON. JOHN M. WILKINS.

Southern Kentucky. Mr. Bradburn represented the city district of this county in the Legislature in 1898 and county in the Legislature and credit, making it with distinction and credit, making one of the most influential and prominent members of that body. The firm of McQuown & Bradburn were the leading counsel in the contest over the late lamented Gov. Goebel, who was Mr. Bradburn's personal as well as political friend, against Taylor, as political friend, against Taylor, which they prosecuted to the Supreme Court of the United States. Mr. Bradburn has also been honored by being made a member of the Goebel Reward Commission and a trustee of the A. and M. College.

He is now a prominent candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge in this district and enters the race exceptionally well qualified by nearly twenty-five years of practice, for the duties of the position. He has hundreds of warm personal and political friends all over the district who will take a delight in supporting him in his race for the judgeship. In politics he has always been a Democrat, as true to his party as the needle to the pole. He has been not only a voting but a working Democrat, and his voice has

Drake. At Judge Payne's death Judge Drake continued to practice. From 1886 to 1890 he was Judge of the Bowling Green Police Court. In March, 1893, he was unanimously selected by the magistrates as County Judge to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Judge John B. Gri-



HON. W. E. SETTLE.

der. He has since accepted the same judicial position and has made the county a valuable servant. His record is clean. He is a jovial, fun-loving and domestic man, but on the bench he knows neither friend nor enemy, but strives to administer justice to all alike.

JUDGE GEORGE R. GORIN.

One of the most trying positions in the entire judiciary is that of Judge of the Police Court and it is only fair to Judge George R. Gorin to say he is making one of the most popular officers who ever sat on the bench in that department of justice. His honor was born in Glasgow, Ky., December 13, 1856. He is a son of the late James W. Gorin, for years one of the leading members of the local bar. He acquired a common school education and later, in 1874, graduated from the Lyndland Military Institute under the tutorage of the late



HON. JAMES C. SIMS.

Gen. W. F. Perry, the famous educator. He read law in his father's office and in 1878 was admitted to the bar. In March, 1890, he was appointed Police Judge by Gov. Beckham, and the following November was elected to that position by the people, receiving a flattering majority. Judge Gorin is one of the most affable men at the bar. He is generous and as loyal to his friends as any one could be. Every drop of blood in him is Democratic and he is one of the party leaders here. He has been an active politician for years. At present he is chairman of the City and County Democratic Committee.

HON. W. O. RODES.

Mr. W. O. Rodes was born and raised in Warren County, Ky., receiving his early schooling at the "Greenwood School House," then in the Bowling Green schools, then he entered "Centre College," where he

graduated. He commenced life by clerking in the Warren Deposit Bank, under the presidency of Dr. T. B. Wright, then afterwards accepted a position more lucrative in the Revenue Department under Col. E. L. Motley, which he held until he commenced the practice of law, being associated as the junior member of the firm of Rodes, Settle & Rodes. No man is more assiduous in the study of his profession, always on the



HON. CHARLES DRAKE.

alert, full of courage and nerve as he battles for the success of his clients. He is just, generous and fair in his professional dealings and in social life, espousing every undertaking with energy and enthusiasm.

He is to be found always on the side of the common people and true to his friends; his politics were never honeycombed with cant, hypocrisy or insincerity, but with absolute honesty of motive and candor of statement, he yields quite an influence.

HON. CLARENCE U. McELROY.

As an attorney Hon. Clarence U. McElroy enjoys a State reputation, and his ability as a lawyer of great learning is demonstrated in the fact that he has been retained as counsel in nearly every important case that has been brought before the courts in this section. He was born at Lebanon, Ky., November 29, 1849, and after leaving the common schools of Warren County, attended "Forest Home," in Jefferson County, and



HON. B. W. BRADBURN.

and then taught school for fifteen months. He gave up teaching in January, 1873, and came to Bowling Green and went into the law office of his cousin, the late Chief Justice Thomas H. Hines. In August, 1873, he was admitted to the bar and located here for the practice of his profession. In December, 1894, he was elected city attorney of Bowling Green and was thereafter twice re-elected. He was also master commissioner but has never held any other office. Mr. Procter has not been an office seeker, preferring to devote himself to the profession of law, of which he has made a conspicuous

JUDGE W. E. SETTLE.

There is no more prominent lawyer or jurist in this section than Judge W. E. Settle, judge of the



RESIDENCE OF JAMES L. JENKINS.

success. He has made a specialty of corporation law and understands it as well, perhaps, as any man in the State and in this is to be found the secret of his success.

In this branch of the law he has won an enviable reputation and so successful has he been that the corporations have learned to fear him. He is a man who believes that they have no more rights than the individual and that they should be held to a strict accountability for their acts. Mr. Procter is a public-spirited citizen and has always warmly advocated everything that tended to the advancement of the interests of Bowling Green and Warren County. By his successful practice he has amassed a competency and lives in an elegant mansion of the old style Southern architecture on West Chestnut street, a cut of which appears in this edition. This house was only recently completed and neither pains nor money was spared by Col. Procter in its construction, for it was built with the intention of making it his permanent abiding place. There is not in Kentucky, perhaps, a more imposing or more elegantly appointed private

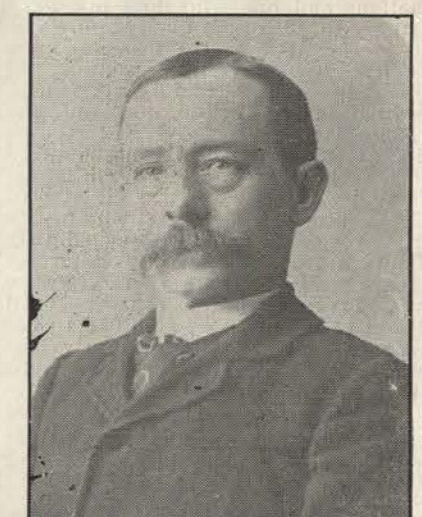
win in the battle of life, he soon acquired a good practice and won a Eighth Judicial district, and the nomination of the Democratic party for judge of the Court of Appeals from this district. Judge Settle is a native of Green County, but came here when a young man and read law in the office of Judge Robert Rodes and was soon admitted to the bar. Possessed of great natural ability, being studious and industrious and ambitious to



HON. NERGE CLARK.

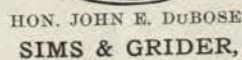
prominent place as a member of the local bar. He devoted himself assiduously to the practice of his profession and achieved a success gratifying alike to himself and to his friends. In 1892 he was elected judge of our circuit court and so ably and acceptably did he fill the position that he had no opposition for a renomination and in 1897 he was re-elected. He has since held the position and has filled it with signal ability, making an enviable record, such as is made by few circuit judges. He has always been noted for his fairness and impartiality and on the bench he has always come up to the fullest measure of the just judge.

Learned in the law, his opinions have always carried weight with them and he has been reversed fewer times by the Court of Appeals than perhaps any man who has ever held the position of circuit judge in the State. His judicial training and his long and distinguished career on the bench made him peculiarly well qualified for a seat on the Court of Appeals bench



HON. GEORGE R. GORIN.

and when he offered himself for the nomination the people at once recognized in him the man for the place, and before the convention came on he had no opposition and was nominated by acclamation. Judge Settle's high character and personal worth, added to his legal attainments, make him a well-nigh invincible candidate and there is no question that he will defeat his opponent, Judge Guffy, who has been nominated by the Republicans to oppose him. Judge Settle will be a strong man on the Court of Appeals bench and if it could be made up of as able, fearless and trained jurists as he is it would be all the better for Kentucky's judiciary. Judge Settle is attending to his duties as circuit judge and prosecuting his canvass at the same time and will be able to bring out a larger vote in the district than any other candidate has ever done.



E. WATKINS.

HON. JOE G. COVINGTON.

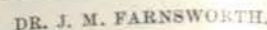
HON. JOHN M. WILKINS.

Upon his return from the army he studied law under the direction of his brother, James H. Wilkins, and in

A. GREENSPAN

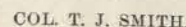
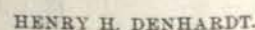
HENRY H. DENHARDT.

Mr. Dilardt was born in this city twenty-six years ago and has lived here all his life. He was educated in the public schools and at Ogden College. After leaving school, for a number of years, he worked in the drug business with Mallory & Barclay, but during this time he spent much of his spare time in reading law. He finally quit the drug business and studied law for some time in the office of Sims & Covington, before entering the law department of Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn. He graduated from this institution in June, 1899. He returned to this place and began practicing



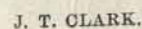
HON. NERGE CLARK.

He was for McCreary before the caucus but was a warm supporter of Blackburn after he got the caucus nomination. The fact that Major Clark was elected by a larger majority than was ever secured by any other candidate and at a time when all the surrounding counties were going Republican in some manner indicates his widespread, personal popularity. He also served prominently



CHARLES P. MOTTLEY.

If you have real estate of any kind
you wish to sell, see C. D. Herdman.



E. B. JOHNSON.

CHAS. VONDERSCHER

FRITZ AND RATTLER.

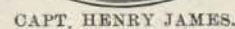
Pure Bred Bloodhounds, Owned by
Patteson & Curd.

Some negroes in Munfordville had been suspected and when the dogs started on the trail in an opposite direction from Munfordville, some of

E. R. BAGBY.

T. J. DAUGHTRY.

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EX-SHERIFF A. J. COLE,

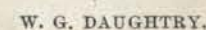
Who Made One of the Best Sheriffs
Warren County Ever Had.

Andrew J. Cole, the subject of this sketch, was born and raised near Oakland, in this county. He grew up on the farm and devoted himself to farming pursuits and in 1897 offered himself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for sheriff of Warren county. He was opposed by some of the best known and most influential men in the county and was the youngest man in the race. Notwithstanding, however, he made one of the best races ever made by any man for office in Warren County, winning by a good majority over the worthy opponents. At the succeeding November election he was elected and went into office in 1898 and served four years, and is now engaged in winding up the affairs of his office as ex-sheriff. He made one of the most efficient, faithful and intelligent officials the county has ever had retires from office with a consciousness of duty well performed. Mr. Cole has valuable copper mining interests in Idaho, which will receive his attention when he shall have covered up his sheriff's business. He has always taken a decided interest in politics and is a Democrat from the ground up, never scratched a ticket and never failed to give all the Democratic nominees all the support that he could command. He has already contributed largely to the success of the Democracy of the county.

THE NEW YORK STORE.

July Cost Sale Now in Progress and
Will Continue Until the First
of August.

The semi-annual cost sale of the popular New York Store is now in progress and thousands of people do not only from this but the counties adjoining are taking advantage of the extra inducements offered. The entire stock of goods of this mammoth establishment is offered in this sale at cost. For a number of years Mr. Burch, the proprietor, has been conducting sales similar to the present one, during the months of January and July, and the people have found out that these sales are conducted just as advertised, and are taking advantage of them. Don't fail to call and see for yourself.





W. H. MILLER.

L. D. POTTER & CO.

One of the Oldest and Most Popular Book Concerns in the State.

This edition would not be complete without a mention of the now famous book store of L. D. Potter & Co. This is one of the oldest book concerns in Southern Kentucky and the present firm has been in charge since 1891 and has built up an enormous trade in its line and firmly established itself in the confidence and esteem of the people.

At this store can be found a large and select stock of standard books, school books, books of poetry, travel, biography, etc., as well as a complete line of novels, periodicals, etc. The house also deals in everything in the way of commercial and society stationery, wedding and birthday gifts, cards, office supplies, etc.

A specialty is made of wall paper and a large stock is carried in this department. In addition to the above named lines a large and select stock of small musical instruments and musical supplies are carried.

The people like to trade with this firm because they can always find what they want and can count upon courteous and kindly treatment in their dealings with the house. Mr. L. D. Potter is not only one of our best and most sagacious business men but personally is the soul of honor and is decidedly popular with everybody. He never forgets to be courteous and obliging and this trait has made him hundreds of friends among all the people of the city and county.

HARRY L. COOK.

High Art Photographer and Proprietor of the Ground Floor Studio.

In this edition will be found a cut of Mr. H. L. Cook, proprietor of the Cook Ground Floor Studio of our city.

Mr. Cook is not only a photographer with all the necessary qualifications of his profession, but he is also an artist of rare skill, having been connected with the following leading studios: F. M. Somers, Cincinnati; The Ben Bingham, McCraith and Branson & Dean studios of Memphis; and The Bryant and Pursell studios of Indianapolis.

Mr. Cook is in a position to please every one, as he has all the equipments necessary for an up-to-date A

No. 1 studio, with one of the finest and best skylights in the city and a most spacious and convenient operating room.

Mr. Cook has established a wide and favorable reputation as a first-class artist, and his business since coming to our city has been surpassed by none, and while yet a young man, his career as a photoist of unquestionable ability promises to be quite successful, and as a gentleman of fine moral standing he ranks second to none.

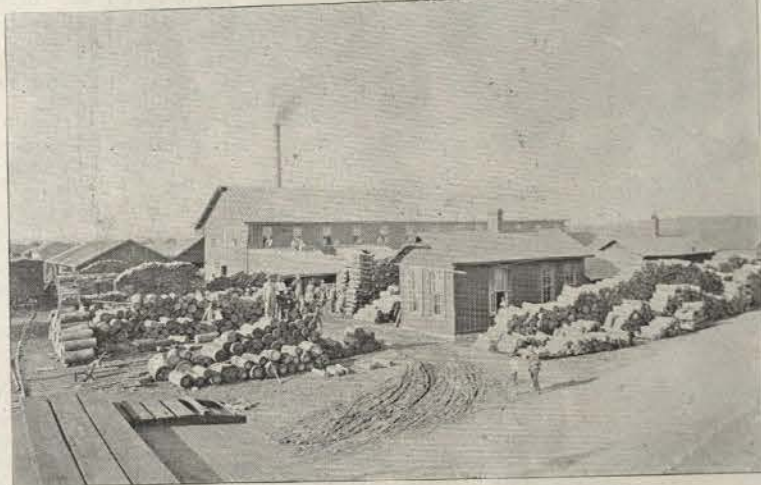
At his studio you will always find a hearty welcome and be greeted with such hospitality and shown such courtesies as you will always feel at home.

Mr. Cook's studio is located at 641 College street and is easily accessible. It is naturally one of the prettiest places in the city and attracts many visitors, who never tire of inspecting the splendid work that is always on exhibition there.

J. E. POYNTER & SON.

Proprietors of the Park City Flour-Mill.

The milling business is one of the important industries of Warren County, and the city of Bowling Green can boast of flouring mills as good as can be found anywhere in the country. One of the most prominent of these is the big mill of Messrs. J. E. Poynter & Son, located on Tenth street, at the intersection of the L. & N. railroad. For many years this point has been a location for a flour mill, but about three years ago the mill was totally destroyed by fire, and the property was bought about two years ago by Messrs. Poynter Bros. & Co., who



AX HANDLE WORKS.

at once began the erection of a commodious building and equipped it with all the very latest improved mill machinery, which was supplied by the Richmond City Mill Works. They came here from Tompkinsville, Ky., where they had been engaged for a number of years in the milling business. In August of last year Mr. R. P. Poynter bought a mill at Horse Cave, Ky., and, selling out his interests here, removed to that place, where he is now located. When the change was made Mr. Clarence P. Poynter acquired an interest in the business here and the style of the firm is now J. E. Poynter & Son, and their mill is known as the Park City Mills. As before stated their mill is equipped with the very best machinery to be had for turning out the very highest grades of flour, and that the



RESIDENCE OF CARL D. HERDMAN.

class of flour turned out by them is meeting the critical test of the buying public is attested by the fact that it is kept running to its full capacity at all times in order to supply the demand. The mill has a capacity of 200 barrels of flour a day.

They turn out a number of brands of flour, but the one which is meeting with more favor is the famous Jersey Lily, which possibly has a larger sale in this section than any other one brand.

Mr. Waldo McLure is their traveling salesman and has been with the firm nearly a year.

The senior member of the firm is an expert miller himself and has been at the business for over thirty years. He is a self-made man and made all

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Company is one of the standard of the many life insurance companies of America and in point of wealth it is up at the very head of the list. That the company is well received by the people of this community is attested by the large number of policies written each month by Mr. Williamson.

C. A. SARBER.

Proprietor of Family Grocery at the Corner of Main and Nugent Streets.

The gentleman whose name heads this article is the proprietor of one of the best family groceries located outside the principal business part of the city, and he enjoys a splendid patronage, not only from the people in his immediate locality, but his customers telephone orders from all parts of the city. His store is located at the corner of Main and Nugent streets, and he carries a complete stock of everything usually found in a first-class grocery, and his prices are as low as those of any other similar business in the city.

Mr. Sarber was born in 1869 at Niles, Mich. When yet quite young his parents moved to Indiana. He remained there with them until about 18 years of age, when he went out into the world to hustle on his own account. He located in Cairo, Ill., and for a long while followed the railroad business. He is also a proficient mill mechanic and followed this trade for awhile. His wife was Miss Lillie A. Johnson, daughter of Mr. F. H. Johnson, of this city, and through this attachment he was attracted to this place and finally located here last July when he bought the grocery business of Ben Topmiller, Jr. Mr. Sarber is a member of the Order of Railroad Conductors and also of the Knights of Pythias.

If you want to buy a farm, a vacant lot, city property of any kind, call on or address C. D. Herdman. He has real estate of all kinds, both city and country, listed with him for sale. Before making a purchase of real estate of any kind don't fail to call on him.

R. N. WILLIAMSON.

Popular Manager of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

The gentleman whose name heads this article was born near Oxford, Scott County, Ky., November 22, 1862. He was reared on a farm, but in 1877 tired of farm life and decided to embark in other business. He went to Louisville, Ky., and engaged in various kinds of business until in May, 1895, when he accepted a position with the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, of New York. He took to the insurance business from the beginning and his services were so appreciated by his superiors that in April, 1896, he was promoted to the position of assistant superintendent of the Louisville district. In October of the same year he was forced to resign his position on account of ill health, but was able in January following to resume his duties, and in a few months was again promoted to his old place as special agent. In January, 1899, he was placed in control of the company's business at Owensboro, South Carrollton, Central City and Greenville. A year later the company decided to begin operations in this city and Franklin, and Mr. Williamson was transferred to this field, with headquarters in this city.



J. L. DURBIN.



RESIDENCE OF E. B. BAGBY.

E. B. SUMPTER.

Bowling Green's Leading Plumber and Gas Fitter.

No business man in the city more completely covers his particular field than E. B. Sumpter, the plumber, whose elegantly appointed place of business is to be found on College street. Mr. Sumpter has the only exclusive plumbing house in the city and it is as complete in every department as any of the better plumbing establishments in the larger cities. In this edition appears a handsome cut of the interior of his establishment, which, however, gives but an inadequate idea of its scope and extent. Mr. Sumpter has been engaged in this business now for twenty years in this city and has mastered it in its every detail. He is himself an expert workman and in the conduct of his business gives employment to only the best and most skilled assistants.

Exhibitions of his work can be seen in many of the prominent homes and business blocks of the city, and the entire sanitary plumbing in the City Hall building was done by him. The work in this building is the scene of scientific workmanship and demonstrates most thoroughly his ability to execute promptly and accurately work on a large scale.

This house is prepared to do anything in the line of plumbing, gas fitting, steam fitting, hot water heating, erecting proper ventilations for buildings, etc., to the entire satisfaction of all parties interested.

Mr. Sumpter's place of business on College street is a model plumbing house. Here is tastefully displayed as complete a line of toilet and bath room supplies to be seen between Louisville and Nashville, and in many instances the stock will be found larger and of a more select nature than many similar houses in those cities.

Mr. Sumpter takes an especial pride and interest in his bath tubs and water connections. He keeps on hand at all times the latest and most approved makes of bath tubs and gives them the most perfect connections. A good bath tub is always much to be desired, but Mr. Sumpter can give you one and so arrange it as to make it a positive luxury. It is almost as well to be without a tub as not to have a good one properly arranged, and connected. Another thing that



MARTIN DEVRIES.

R. C. POSEY,

Dealer in All Kinds of Staple and Fancy Groceries.

Among the many solid and substantial business men of the county none are better known or more highly esteemed for their many excellent qualities than is Mr. R. C. Posey, the progressive grocery man. He has spent the greater part of his time since attaining his majority in the grocery business and understands it in all its details. He takes great pride in his business and sees to it personally that his customers get exactly what they order.

His grocery is located in the McCormack building and is one of the most prominent and up-to-date retail houses Bowling Green has ever boasted of. Everything in the place is fresh and neat and the house enjoys one of the best trades in the city.

Mr. Posey was born and reared near this city and is widely known throughout Bowling Green and Warren County. He has been in business about twelve years and has at all times sustained a reputation for keeping in stock everything new, reliable and of high grade and has gained his large patronage by straightforward business dealing, energy and liberality.

The store is a model one, as is readily seen by the photo-engraving, which appears on another page of this issue. The stock embraces the choicest teas, coffees, spices, canned goods, bottled goods, table delicacies and in fact everything under the head of staple and fancy groceries, while the prices are at all times the lowest. It is worth a trip to Mr. Posey's store



L. D. POTTER.

their store at 913 College street in February of last year. By attention to business, fair dealing and in anticipating the needs of the buying public have gradually built up their trade until now they have their business on as firm a foundation as any similar house in the city.

They carry a large and elegant line of dry goods, dress goods, silks, trimmings, furnishings, shoes, clothing, etc., and are prepared to compete with any house in the city in both quality of goods and prices.

Aaron and Sam Green have both been in the dry goods business for a long number of years and they understand it in its minutest detail. It is their desire to keep right in front in point of style and in the superiority of goods which pass over their counters, and that this worthy ambition is meeting with the approval of the buying public is attested by the steady and healthy growth of their patronage.

They are both hard workers, giving their business the closest attention, and richly deserve the splendid success they have achieved.

FRANK L. KISTER, JR.

Mayor Pro Tem and One of Our City's Most Popular and Best Business Men.

One of our most progressive business men is Frank L. Kister, Jr. He is proprietor of a large planing mill and a contractor and builder and has built up a magnificent business in Bowling Green and surrounding section. He keeps on hand everything usually found in a first-class planing mill and turns out none but the very highest class of work. His establishment is the most extensive of the kind in Southern Kentucky and the success Mr. Kister has made of it stamps him a first-class business man in every respect. He is also one of our most popular citizens, has been one of the most influential members of the city council for a number of years and is mayor pro tem of the city. So faithfully and efficiently has he discharged his long public duty that many of his fellow citizens see in him splendid material for a future mayor, and it is probable that they will demand ere long that he offer himself for the position. Personally, Mr. Kister is a pleasing and agreeable gentleman and is popular with all who know him. In fact, there is not a more genial, better liked or more popular man in the entire city.



RESIDENCE OF T. HENRY AULL.

to see his fine cash register, one of the handsomest made.

Besides being a live, progressive citizen, Mr. Posey is a faithful church worker and is one of the most active members of the local Cumberland Presbyterian church, of which he is one of its deacons, and also holds the position of treasurer. He is also a prominent member of the local lodge of Odd Fellows.

GREEN BROTHERS.

Popular Dry Goods Firm Who Have Built Up a Fine Business.

Although the youngest dry goods firm in the city, Messrs. Green Bros. have built up a splendid business in their line during the year and a half they have been here. They opened

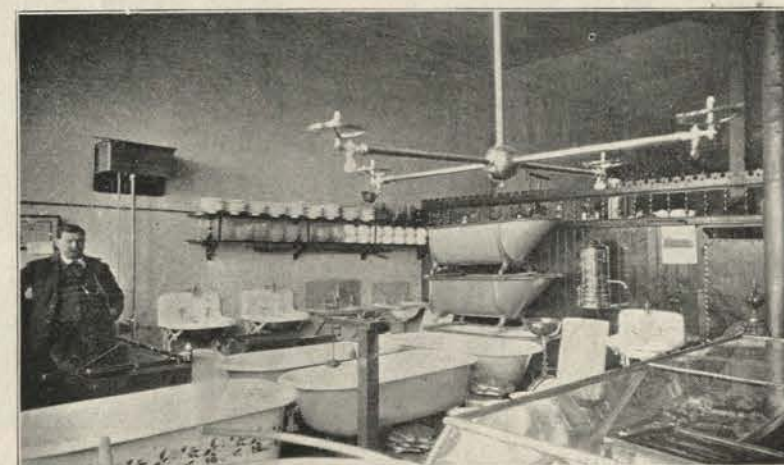
The career of a business house is the rule and standard by which the public tests its general worth. When a business enterprise has been uniformly successful, furthering prosperity with time, it naturally imparts confidence to the people; and such is the case with the Golden Rule Store.

The name Golden Rule is taken from the Bible, and in this instance is meant to imply as in Biblical teaching, that the business is conducted strictly on the basis of honesty and fair dealing to all. To this, combined with the excellent business judgment of its proprietor, Mr. J. L. Durbin, is due its great success.

The business was founded by Mr. Durbin on a small scale in September, 1898, and in the four years of its existence its trade and stocks have been increased ten-fold. All this speaks well for the genial young proprietor. The stock of the Golden Rule store is a large and well-selected one, and embraces all lines of dry goods, dress goods, silks, shoes, hats and ladies' and gents' furnishings. One noticeable feature of the Golden Rule store is the remarkably low figure at which all goods are sold and it is not infrequent that many rare bargains are to be had there. Remember the Golden Rule store is on College street, immediately under the Opera House, and that you will always receive a cordial welcome whether you desire to make a purchase or not.



RESIDENCE OF DR. E. N. HALL, WOODBURN.



INTERIOR VIEW OF E. B. SUMPTER'S PLUMBING SHOP.

Something About the County of Warren

Warren County was formed in 1790 out of Logan County. It was the twenty-fourth county organized in Kentucky, and was 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. It is bounded on the north by the counties of Butler and Edmonson, on the east by the county of Barren, on the south southeast by the county of Allen, on the south by the county of Simpson, also on the south southwest by the county of Logan, and on the west by the county of Butler.

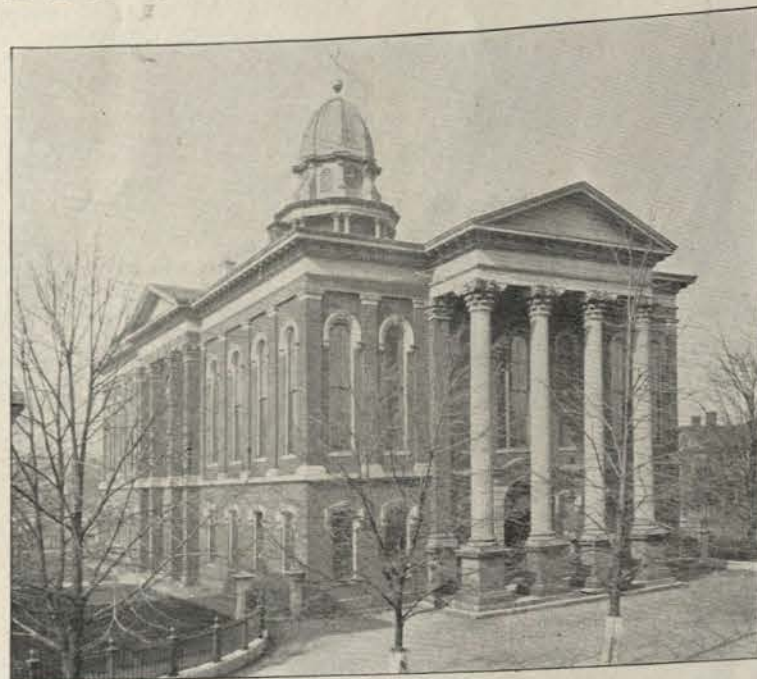
The population of the county is about 34,000; legal voters about 7,000. It is situated in the Third Congressional, Second Appellate, Eighth Judicial and Eleventh Senatorial districts.

The average annual temperature of the climate is 56 degrees, while the average annual rainfall is 46 inches. The soils of the county are either alluvial or river bottom, calcareous or limestone, and silicious or sandy, and are named in the order of fertility and value. The bottom lands commonly called "river bottom lands" or "creek bottom lands," because of the overflows of the rivers and smaller streams coursing through them, are very productive and have been cultivated for years without any apparent depreciation of their fertility. The second bottom lands are almost as productive. All these lands are well drained. The other lands are undrained and highly productive.

That part of the county known as the Smith's Grove and Oakland lands, and the territory south of Barren river and lying between the Louisville and Nashville railroad and Drake's creek, embracing much of the Woodburn and Richpond communities, constitute what was originally called the "Barrens"—that is, these lands were in the early history of Warren County prairie lands, with only the grass and stubby brush growth peculiar thereto. The "Barrens" are now regarded as the best farming lands in the county; in fact, these lands, in point of fertility, beauty and productivity, are unsurpassed in the State or elsewhere. They are divided up into farms that are well cultivated, containing substantial and, in many instances, handsome dwelling houses, with excellent barns and outbuildings.

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 blue grass grows luxuriantly. The small fruits, such as strawberries, raspberries and grapes, are produced in great abundance and of perfect quality. Apples, pears and peaches are also raised with profit, and the watermelons of Warren County, in quantity and lusciousness, can not be excelled.

The hill, or ridge lands, though less fertile than other parts of the county, contain much valuable timber, and such of these lands as are cleared afford excellent grazing for sheep and cattle. Stock raising is one of the



WARREN COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

chief industries of Warren County. Cattle and hogs, in large quantities, are fattened here and shipped to northern and eastern markets.

Bowling Green is regarded as one of the best mule markets in Kentucky. Many persons in the county devote their time and money to the business of raising, buying and training fancy saddle and harness horses, that are sold at the county seat or shipped to eastern or southern markets.

Much of the timber of the county has been consumed or destroyed, but there yet remain large tracts of valuable

Green and Barren rivers are navigable streams, free of toll, and much of the commerce of the Green river country is carried upon their waters.

Another important industry of Warren County is its stone trade. There are a number of large stone quarries in the county, the principal one being the Bedford-Bowling Green Stone Company, situated five miles from Bowling Green, near Memphis Junction. These quarries employ, in the aggregate, several hundred hands and have in use the latest machinery for quarrying and shaping stone.



W. H. MILLER'S HARDWARE STORE.

timber, consisting of oak, hickory, chestnut, beech, poplar, ash and other varieties. Some of this timber is suitable for the manufacture of hardwood 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.



W. G. DAUGHTRY'S RESIDENCE.

isville and Nashville railroad traverses the county from north to south, passing through Bowling Green. The Memphis branch of that system connects with the main line at Bowling Green. There is a double track between Bowling Green and Memphis Junction.

The public roads of the county render intercourse among neighbors an easy and agreeable matter and the journey to the market, town or railway station is rendered a delight instead of a dread. Warren County has more than one hundred and twenty miles of macadamized and gravel turnpike roads, free of all toll, and improvements and extensions are continually going on.

The warm-hearted generosity, intelligence, morality and hospitality add to the crowning attractions of Warren County as a place for those in search of homes surrounded by home comforts, and in these particulars this grand old community stands unchallenged.

M. FLEMING.

One of the Oldest Business Concerns of the County.

In the history of representative houses in Bowling Green no more striking example can be found of what can be attained by energy, integrity and well directed effort, than is so strikingly exemplified in the successful career of Pat Fleming.

The firm of M. Fleming is one of the most prominent in the State in its particular line, and during its long existence has maintained a reputation for uprightness and commercial enterprise that but few houses enjoy. As each year passes it gains an additional value, making more prominent the honorable and enlightened policy for which the house has been so conspicuous.

The business was founded in 1862 and Mr. Fleming began on a modest scale with only a very small stock. Success has followed the venture and now the business is one of the most important in the city. Instead of a small store and a small stock the business at 32-34 Park Place requires a house 33x210 feet, or in other words the building extends from Park Place to Tenth street, a whole square. Two floors and the basement are packed with an enormous assortment of goods which is bewildering. The stock consists of queensware, stoneware, ranges, stoves, tinware, cutlery and in fact any article needed in the house furnishing line. Mr. Fleming manufactures practically all of his tinware and does a jobbing business through this section of the State which yields a handsome income. His prices are the lowest and he deserves the success with which he has met.

The firm is prepared to do all kinds of grate and mantle work, galvanized iron cornice work, tin and iron roofing and troughing, and all kinds of heavy and light sheet iron work.

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Buy you a home and quit renting. See C. D. Herdman.



J. E. YOUNGLOVE.

Who Serves the City Efficiently as Tax Collector.

One of the best known men in this section of the State, socially and politically, is Mr. James D. Hines, city tax collector. He was born in Bowling Green November 11, 1838, and has spent all of his life here among the people he loves and those who have so frequently honored him with positions of honor and trust.

Early in life he was engaged in the grocery business, but when the great civil war came on he cast his lot with the South and for four years served gallantly in the Confederate army. After the war he again engaged in the mercantile business, but in 1868 was elected circuit clerk, which position he held for eighteen years. He then served four years as sheriff. Upon retiring from that office he was appointed master commissioner of the Warren Circuit Court. The city council in 1898 elected him tax collector and he has since held that position, being re-elected only recently.

Mr. Hines is a charming companion and a polished and most excellent gentleman. He has the keenest sense of the humorous and is an entertaining story teller. In all of his long public career Mr. Hines has made a faithful and efficient officer. It is frequently said of him he has made the best tax collector the city has ever had and it is his pride that "no guilty one escapes." The Hines family is one of the oldest locally and one of the most prominent in the State.

CHIEF HENRY JAMES.

At the Head of Police Force and a Poular Citizen.

For eleven years Col. Henry James has been chief of police in the city of Bowling Green and during that long period the department has been most admirably conducted. He was first appointed in 1891, during Mayor Forbes' administration, to fill an unexpired term. Since then he has been re-appointed by Mayor Mallory, Mayor Townsend and again by Mayor Mallory. He has the confidence and respect of the men under him and is as brave and fearless an officer as the city ever had.

Col. James on May 20, last, celebrated the fifty-fourth anniversary of his birth. Like many of the most prominent men of the city the chief was born on a farm in Butler County. When but twelve years of age he moved to this county with his mother and lived on a farm eight miles south of Bowling Green. When about twenty-five years of age he came to this city and was first employed as a deputy in the County Clerk's office. Afterwards he accepted a position as bookkeeper for the old woolen mills and later became a partner in that then big enterprise. He remained with the mills fifteen years and then for two years was a commercial traveler.

The chief is an excellent student of human nature and is regarded as one of the best police officials in the South, regardless of the size of the city. Through his efforts many and many a criminal has been brought to justice during his long term in office and he is justly entitled to feel proud of his remarkable record.



JAMES D. HINES.



FARNSWORTH & STOUT'S DRUG STORE.

JOHN H. MALLORY.

Mayor of Bowling Green and Member of Popular Drug Firm.

Hon. John H. Mallory, the present mayor of Bowling Green, is one of the most popular and progressive chief executives the municipal voters have ever honored, and in every way he is repaying his constituents for the confidence imposed by his repeated re-election to offices of honor and trust.

It is hardly fair to Dr. Mallory to state his age, but he was born in this city January 31, 1844. He received his education here and when only sixteen years of age accepted employment as a clerk in a drug store.

member of the School Board and as one of the Sinking Fund Commissioners.

The mayor has one of the most charming families and handsomest residences in the city. Mrs. Mallory is a lavish entertainer and is popular in society.

J. E. POTTER

Treasurer of the City of Bowling Green and President of P. J. Potter's Sons' Bank.

The city's finances are in the hands of Mr. J. E. Potter, whom the city council seems always happy to re-elect city treasurer. In all sincerity Mr. Potter is one of the most popular



GREEN BROS. DRY GOODS STORE.

In a few years he engaged in business for himself and is at present the head of the popular drug firm of Mallory & Barclay.

Dr. Mallory is not only popular and prominent socially, but is a leading member of the Masonic and Elk lodges. For years he has been president and the prompting spirit in the Warren County Fair Association. This is his sixth term as mayor. He served several years as a member of the Board of Common Council, as a

lar men Bowling Green ever had. He is an able financier and the head of the old banking house of P. J. Potter's Sons. Mr. Potter is well known in banking circles all over the country and his judgment is daily sought by investors, both here and away from home. He is one of the most agreeable men, and it seems at all times a pleasure to him to be able to assist or help along some deserving friend. His integrity is unquestioned and coupled with his business qualifi-

cations, fits him for the position of city treasurer most admirably. He handles thousands of dollars of the city's money every year and always his reports balance to a cent. He is one of the most loyal friends a man could want, and had fortune not smiled as she has upon him, and he had been cut out for a politician instead of a banker, he could have secured almost anything he could have asked for. As it is he has everything he wants or has ever asked for.

G. S. HOLLINGSWORTH.

City Clerk. Polished Gentleman and Lover of Fine Cows and Chickens.

Mr. Granville S. Hollingsworth, who has been city clerk since 1887, is not only one of the most efficient and painstaking officials Bowling Green has ever had, but he is one of the most pleasant and honorable men in the world. Mr. Hollingsworth has more friends than it is often the good fortune of most men to possess. He was born at Elkton, Todd County, in 1856, and came to this city in 1872. His first employment here was in the confectionary store of George Lehman, on College street. He was engaged there five years and then for the succeeding eight years was with H. C. Hines & Co. He left there in 1887 to become city clerk and no one has ever succeeded in ousting him from the responsible position. Mr. Hollingsworth is popular with all alike and if he ever had an enemy no one has ever heard of it.

He is a great admirer of cows and owns some very high bred Jerseys. He is also a chicken fancier and raises only the best. Two of his characteristics are his remarkable gentle disposition and his constant geniality.

JOHN R. SHARP.

Proprietor of the Bowling Green Transfer and Livery Stable.

One enterprise in Bowling Green which has been made both prominent and profitable is that of the transfer business of which Capt. John R. Sharp may be said to be the father. He is at present the head and owner of the Bowling Green Transfer.

Capt. Sharp does hauling of all sorts, and in addition operates a livery, feed and sale stable. The office is conveniently located on lower Main street and may also be reached by telephone.

This popular man is one of the best known citizens of Bowling Green. He is a member of the principal secret orders and has a wide personal following. Several years prior to engaging in the transfer business Capt. Sharp was a passenger conductor on the Louisville and Nashville railroad between this city and Memphis. He has resided in Bowling Green for more than twenty years and is well known to almost every resident. He is a genial, kindly and charitable gentleman and in dealing with him it is with the assurance of promptness and fairness.

If you want to invest in a farm or city property, call on or write C. D. Herdman.



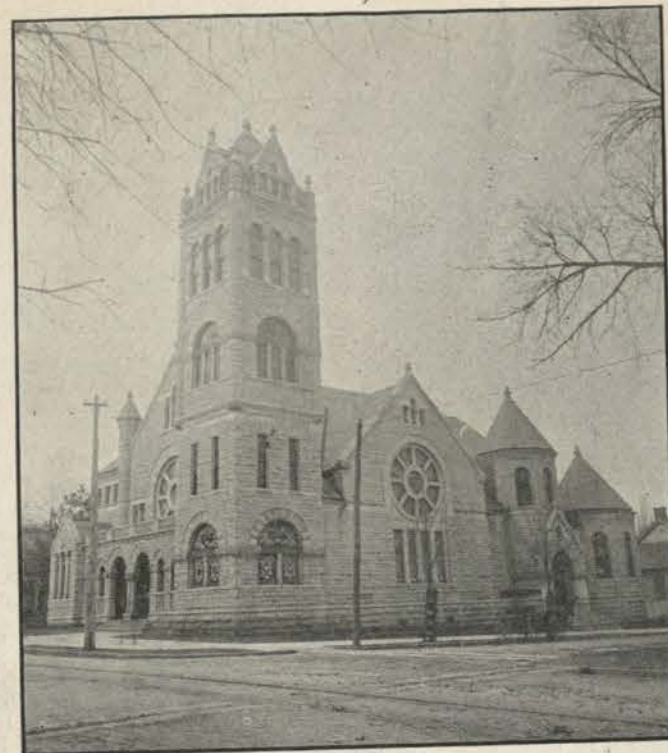
JAMES CUTHBERTSON.



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PARK CITY FLOURING MILLS.



STATE-STREET METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, SOUTH.
E. P. HARRIS.

An Efficient Road Supervisor and the Splendid Work That He Is Doing.

The present efficient Road and Bridge Supervisor of Warren County is Ennis P. Harris, who was elected to the position by the Fiscal Court in 1900. He was born in Warren County, near Richmond, and was educated in the common schools and at Osgood College. He lived on a farm and was one of the county's most successful young farmers when he quit the farm to take the position of Road and Bridge Supervisor. He is now at work in different sections of the county with large crews of men putting our public highways in the pink of condition. The public roads of this county are kept up and maintained under the Sims road law adopted by the county in 1896. The roads are maintained by taxation and a tax of 25 cents on the \$100 worth of property and 50 cents poll tax, is levied for that purpose. The people were disposed to grumble at the tax at first but have long since ceased to do so, seeing that the tax system is the only correct one for the maintenance of our roads. This road and bridge fund is divided out by the Fiscal Court among the eight magisterial districts of the county, each district getting an equal share of the fund. Our county now has all the most modern roads machinery, consisting of plows, crushers, graders, steam rollers, and in fact everything that can be used to advantage in the bet-



YOUNGLOVE'S DRUG STORE.

at the Medical Department of Vanderbilt University at Nashville, Tenn., from which institution he graduated in 1894 and returned to his home at Rockfield ready for the practice of his profession. After remaining at Rockfield until August, 1898, he removed to Woodburn and located, where he still remains and where he has built up a splendid practice among the good people of that vicinity. Dr. Moss was married in 1894 to Miss Maybelle Andrews, daughter of J. B. Andrews, and the result of that union is one little boy, Joe D., now six years of age.

He is at present the hustling mayor of the prosperous little town of Woodburn, and can, in all probability, hold the position as long as he desires it. Dr. Moss is also chancellor commander of Warren Lodge No. 31, Knights of Pythias, at Woodburn, and is also an enthusiastic Odd Fellow and Mason.

Professionally he stands high, not only with the general public, but with the members of the profession and personally he is decidedly popular with all who know him, and he has an extended acquaintance throughout the county.

MASSEY & RABOLD.

One of the Leading and Most Popular Grocery Firms of the Entire City.

One of the most popular retail grocery establishments in the city is that of Massey & Rabold, on Main street. They have made a success of the business from the start, and have



INTERIOR VIEW OF DOBSON & SPALDING'S GROCERY.

each year built up a larger and better trade. In fact, their business grew to such proportions that they were compelled to seek more commodious quarters, and they are now in their own building, arranged especially for their business, and they have one of the handsomest stores in the city. The firm is composed of George T. Massey and W. H. Rabold, both young men, but both possessed of splendid capacity as is readily shown by the pronounced success they have achieved. They are two of the most popular young men in the city and have more friends than they can count. They keep on hand one of the largest and best assorted stocks of groceries in the city and know just what to keep to please their customers. Another thing is that they are polite and courteous to all with whom they have dealings and those who know them best say that it is a positive pleasure to do business with this firm. In addition to groceries they carry a general line of feed stuffs which they sell in any quantity. Another specialty is gasoline, they being one of the only two firms in the city which handle this article. You are invited to drop in and see them in their new quarters and you may do so with the assurance that you will be made welcome.

W. G. DAUGHTRY & SONS.

Leading and Popular Grocery House, 915 College Street.

To satisfy the palate and accommodate the purse is a practical art and one that is of much importance. Un-



J. B. STUBBINS.

like the dealer in many other wares, the grocer has, day by day, to cater to the tastes of a discriminating public and satisfy the wishes of the most fastidious or be weighed in his own scales and found wanting. To meet this constant and exacting demand requires a certain happy faculty that few men, otherwise shrewd, possess. The firm of W. G. Daughtry & Sons measure up to the full standard. The partnership as it now exists was formed last July, when Messrs. E. W. S. Daughtry and E. C. Daughtry, sons of the senior member of the firm, were taken in as half



R. M. FREEMAN.



VIRGIL GARVIN.

J. B. SUMPTER & BRO.

Have Built Up a Fine Business in the Course of a Few Years.

One of Bowling Green's most important business enterprises is the wholesale and retail establishment of J. B. Sumpter & Bro. The magnificent success of this house is a living example of what business pluck and ability can accomplish. Like all large commercial concerns it had a small beginning, from which it grew gradually and by merit to its present handsome proportions. This house, now the largest of its kind in Ken-

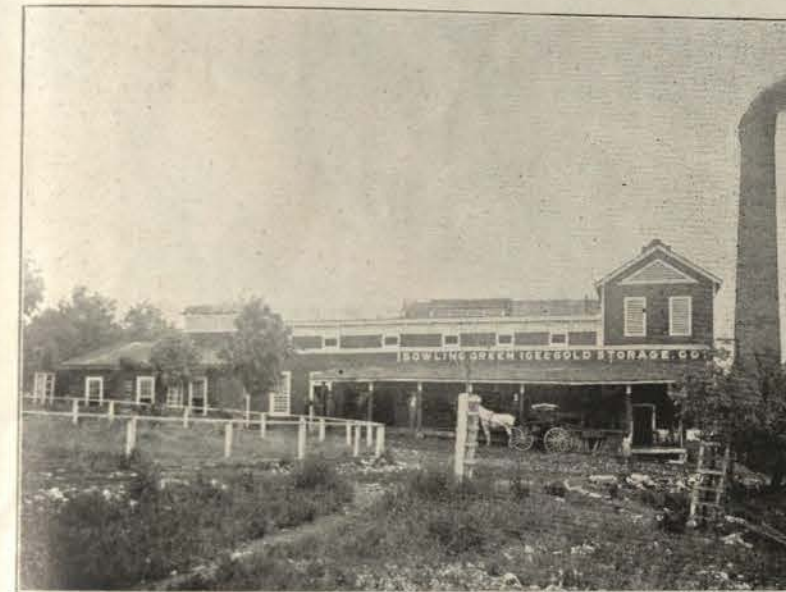
former is one of the progressive councilmen of the city and a painter by trade. The latter is a business man of ability and an expert at the art of paper hanging. The firm buys in large quantities and, in many instances, from first hands, and discounting all bills, are enabled to quote exceedingly low prices.

They deal both by wholesale and retail in paints, oils, wall paper, glassware, queensware, etc., and have an immense trade throughout this entire section of country and their trade is constantly growing because it is founded on merit. The firm is composed of the two brothers—J. B. and W. C. Sumpter, Bowling Green men born and bred. They are both among our best known and most popular people. Personally, they are agreeable and courteous and have the glad hand for all their friends. J. B. Sumpter has been for a long time an influential member of our city council and his friends consider him excellent material for mayor of the city. W. C. Sumpter, the junior member of the firm, has not cared to hold official position, but his popularity with our people is unquestioned. Nothing succeeds like success, and the success achieved by this house is its greatest encomium.

A MAMMOTH CONCERN

Is That of the Turner, Day & Woolworth Handle Company.

No industry with headquarters in the State can point to a more satisfactory record of usefulness, conservative growth and prosperity than the Turner, Day & Woolworth Handle Company, with head office at Louis-



PLANT OF BOWLING GREEN ICE & COLD STORAGE COMPANY.

tucky, was founded in 1882 as a paint store and each year new lines were added and the business naturally grew until it reached its present eminence in the commercial life of our city.

In the prosecution of the business, a large store room, containing 4,000 square feet, is utilized at the corner of Main and College streets for the display of the varied lines, and a large warehouse, 65x40 feet in dimensions, immediately in the rear of the store, for the surplus stock.

The individual members are J. B. Sumpter and W. C. Sumpter. The

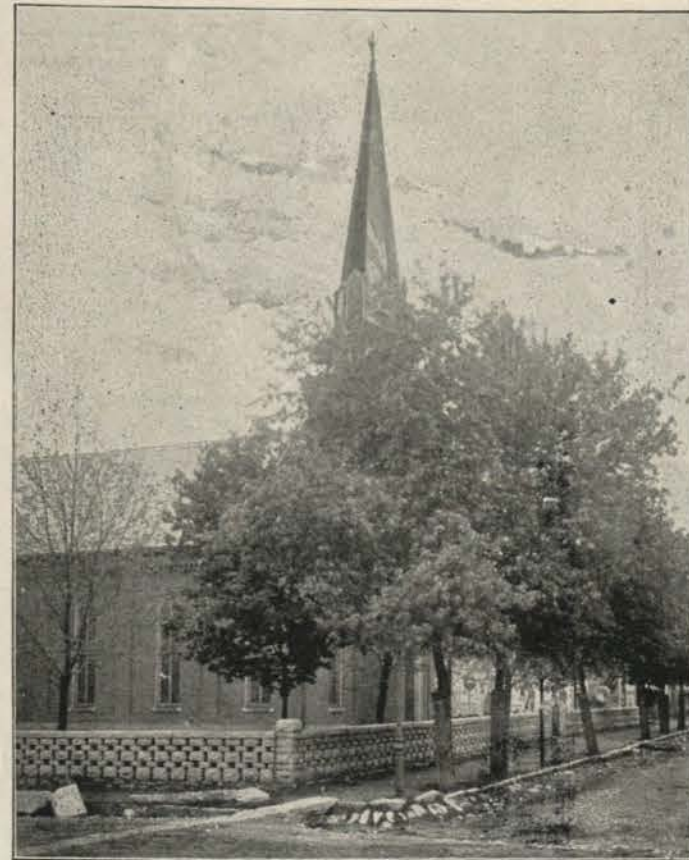
ville. Its name is synonymous with capital, business ability and integrity, and everything about it indicates sound judgment, fixed principles and w. m. u. g. etain shrdn cmfwyp mbm unexcelled management. This concern is the largest manufacturer in the world of all kinds of tool handles, single and doubletrees and neck yokes, producing fully three-fourths of these products manufactured, and the company's markets are every civilized point in the world. The company is an incorporated one with the following officers:

President—C. M. Garth.
Vice-President—John Stites.
Secretary and General Manager—Chas. D. Gates.

Treasurer—C. F. Turner.
The company operates about thirty plants in various parts of the country—in Mississippi, Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky, West Virginia and Illinois. The Bowling Green branch is one of its largest plants, and it is of this branch the writer would write.

The plant at this point covers an area of two acres, and the remaining space not utilized for the building is stocked with rough hickory timber waiting its turn to be converted in some form of usefulness.

The management of the Bowling Green branch of the Turner, Day & Woolworth Handle Company is intrusted to Mr. W. L. Graves, who has successfully conducted the business here for the past four years. He is a man possessing rare business and executive ability; progressive by nature, and active and diligent in the discharge of his duties. He is popular among his employers, and the whole



CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
(Fence built by T. J. Sweeney Quarry Co.)

atmosphere seems permeated with his presence. It gives employment to 110 men, who live and spend their wages in this city.

The plant has all the modern wood turning machinery for the rapid execution of work. Its turning capacity is 600 dozen handles per day. Its finishing capacity is 1,900 dozen handles per day.

Three-fourths of the output of this branch of the business is for the export trade—Germany, England, France, Australia and Spain.

Mr. Graves came here from Huntington, Ind., where he was for a long while at the head of the company's business. He has been with this same company for over twenty-four years and during that time has operated plants at various places in Tennessee, Indiana and Kentucky.

PLANTER'S INSURANCE CO.

A Co-Operative Company Which is Meeting With Splendid Success.

Much of the success of the Planter's Insurance Company, which is composed of some of the most substantial citizens of Warren, Barren,

Logan, Todd, Simpson and Christian Counties, is due to the efficiency of the popular secretary, Mr. P. C. Jesse, one of its organizers.

The company began business in October, 1898, and since that time has written over \$1,100,000 of insurance. Its losses have been exceedingly small, being only about 20 per cent. on the \$100 per year. The company is constantly becoming more popular and is one of the safest in the State. It accepts nothing but farm risks.

Mr. Jesse and the able directory back of him have the full confidence of the people and it is easy to understand the remarkable success which the company is enjoying. Hon. D. W. Wright is at the head of the company as President, and Dr. John D. Woods is Vice-President.

Mr. Jesse was born in Powell's Valley, Va., and educated at high schools in his native State, and subsequently graduated at the Lexington Business College. He came to Bowling Green in August, 1898. He is a popular young man of pleasing address, and enjoys the esteem and confidence of the best people in both business and social circles.

C. D. Herdman has all kinds of city and farm property for sale.



THE WILFORD BUILDING.

A Brief History of the City of Bowling Green

Kentucky was first one county and attached to Fincastle County, Virginia, in 1776; it was detached from that county in 1780, three counties being formed from Kentucky County, viz: Jefferson, Fayette and Lincoln. The southern and western parts of the State were Lincoln, Logan County was taken from Lincoln County and embraced all territory south of Green river.

Warren County was formed from Logan in 1796. Bowling Green was made the county seat in 1797, and incorporated in 1798. The first town was located on the river bank and af-



R. E. COOKSEY.

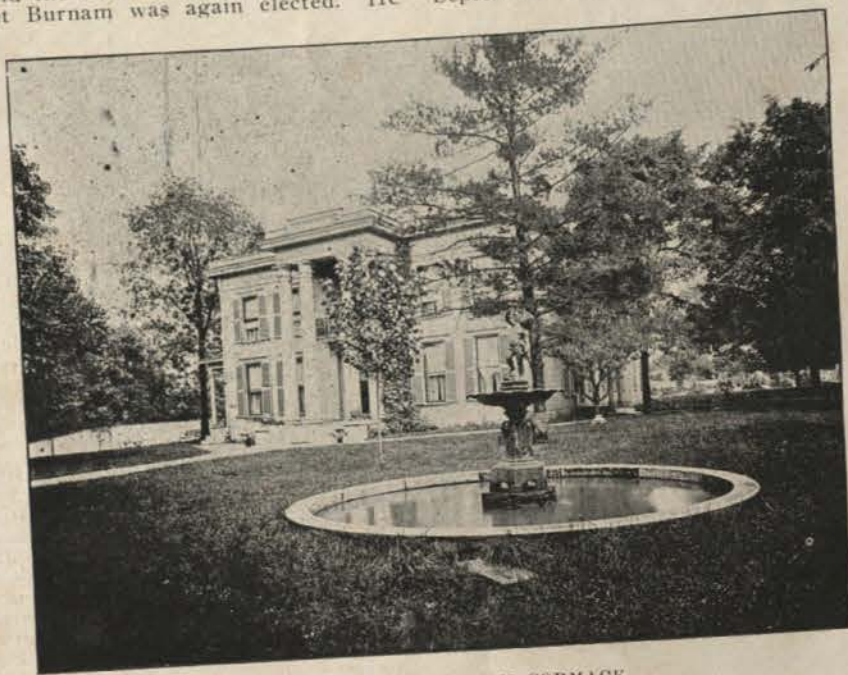
terwards removed to its present location. The public square was given by Robert Moore for the court house, which stood in its center until removed to its present site, the city buying the ground on which it stands in exchange for the public square, which was to be beautified and kept for a public park. That was in 1868. The water works was also completed in 1868.

Daniel Hare was the chairman of the board of trustees in 1823, and again in 1824; Daniel D. Bicknell was the chairman in 1825; he resigned and Vivian Crosthwait was elected to fill vacancy. He also resigned and Abraham Larch was elected to fill the vacancy. The trustees ordered the tax for that year to be fifteen cents on the hundred dollars, and a fifty-cent poll tax.

In 1826 the citizens petitioned the legislature to authorize the trustees to form a town watch or patrol. This was to prevent the slaves from roaming the streets at night after 10 o'clock. In 1831 the first newspaper was published by Samuel Atchison, called the Green River Gazette, afterwards it was sold to Wm. V. Loving, and again to A. R. Macey, who continued the publication till 1844. When

he died the paper passed into other hands.

In 1827 Pressley Donaldson was elected chairman of the board, who held the office until 1827. In the summer of 1827 the first boat landed, the United States, and was loaded with salt. That was before the locks and dams had been built. In 1829 Henry Shanks was elected chairman of the board of trustees, but soon resigned, and W. V. Loving was chosen to fill the vacancy. Richard Curd was elected in 1831. He also resigned and Pressley Donaldson was elected to fill the vacancy. In 1832 Richard Curd became chairman again, and again resigned, and Bennet Burnam was elected to fill the vacancy, who held the office until 1833. Jacob Van Meter became his successor, and it was this year the first sanitary board was organized. In 1834 Thomas Rogers was elected chairman, and in this year the first fire apparatus was ordered, consisting of four fire hooks and two ladders, costing \$16; and this was considered extravagant. In 1835 John S. Lucas was chairman, and held the office until 1836, when Bennet Burnam was again elected. He



RESIDENCE OF DR. J. N. MCCORMACK.

soon resigned and W. V. Loving was chosen to fill the vacancy. In 1837 C. T. Dunnagan was elected, and Jonathan Hobson was elected in 1838. It took thirty-six hours to go to Louisville by stage; a few years after it was reduced to twenty-four hours. At that time the Green and Barren rivers improvements were being made; the locks and dams being completed for boats to pass in

with other commanderies until they evacuated February 14, 1862. During their occupancy they erected or commenced the erection of the different forts around the town, the most extensive of which was on Reservoir Hill; another was on the hill known as the Col. John Grider place; another on Potter College Hill; also one across the river at Baker's Hill, and lower down on this side of the river; one at A. G. Hobson's, and at the place now owned by W. H. Jones,

1840. The citizens of Bowling Green then thought this would be a large and prosperous city. Real estate advanced; some persons who bought at that time held the property for forty years and then sold for less than they gave. The navigation was of great advantage to Bowling Green, it being the shipping point for several of the surrounding counties, besides the traveling public. Quite a large wholesale business was done by the merchants, they having a line of boats to New Orleans as well as Louisville. About that time the Portage railroad was built by James R. Skiles and others, which was operated until the L. & N. was built, when the track was sold to it.

The L. & N. railroad was commenced in the early fifties, but was not completed so that cars could run through until 1860. Soon after the war broke out between the States, traffic was interrupted so often that it became necessary to guard every point of importance by the Federal troops to keep it open. Gen. S. B. Buckner arrived in Bowling Green with the first Confederate troops on September 18, 1861, and remained



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

and another up the river at W. L. Underwood's place. A great deal of work was done on these forts, but there was no occasion for using them, as the Federal troops never came here for battle, and when the Confederate troops evacuated on the morning of February 14, 1862, the Federal appeared on Baker's Hill, and the first known that they were there was the booming of cannons. They fired towards the depot where a train of cars was on the track, and they tried to disable it. This they finally succeeded in doing and then the Confederates set fire to it and the depot as well as the hotel near by. They had burned the foot bridge and blown down the L. & N. railroad bridge with cannon. The Federals soon after came in and took possession of Bowling Green. A day or two before



ANDREW J. COLE.

the evacuation a fire broke out in the Washington Hall corner and consumed it with about one-third of the block. It was supposed to be of incendiary origin and not by order of the Confederate authorities. Soon after the Federals came in a fire occurred on the west corner of the square and burned one-third of the block; supposed to be accidental. The Federals held possession of the town until the close of the war. The town was never attacked, consequently there was no fighting here. Various military commanders, with their regiments, occupied the town during the Federals' stay. Among the number was the Seventieth Indiana regiment, Col. Benjamin Harrison commanding; afterwards president of the United States. During his stay his regiment did a large amount of work on the Potter College Hill toward finishing the fort. It was then known as Fort Lytle, a name which would not be inappropriate now. It was never completed, and soon after the war ceased with a universal shout of gladness all over our broad land. Since then Bowling Green has been following the even tenor of its way slowly expanding in substantial improvements and beauty until now it aspires to be one of the prettiest cities in the State or country.



RESIDENCE OF E. B. JOHNSON.

BUSINESS HOUSE OF W. G. DAUGHTRY.
GEORGE A. SCHERER.

Pharmacist and Dealer in Drugs of All Kinds.

Of all the important businesses it must be admitted that a drug store is the most important, and Bowling Green has no store of this character in whose management the people have greater confidence than that of George A. Scherer, whose place of business is located on Main street. Dr. Scherer is a registered pharmacist and personally attends the filling of all prescriptions entrusted to him. Only the purest drugs are used and all precautions are taken in compounding prescriptions of every kind.

Mr. Scherer is a Bowling Green product, born and raised, having first seen the light of day in this city February 24, 1874. He received his education at St. Columba's Academy. When yet quite young he entered the



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drug store of Phil Beauchamp as an apprentice, and after remaining there about two and a half years, he went into the drug store of Farnsworth & Stout, where he remained until he bought out a half interest in the drug business of T. V. Winstead, in 1898. His partner, Dr. Winstead, died about five years ago and he continued the business until January of this year, when he bought out the widow's interest and he is now sole owner of the store. He carries a large and varied assortment of patent medicines, druggist sundries, toilet articles, etc. Dr. Scherer is a self-made man and enjoys the very highest esteem of a wide circle of friends. He richly deserves the splendid success he has achieved in his chosen profession.

GEORGE A. WALLACE.

Representing the D. H. Baldwin & Co. Piano House.

Mr. George A. Wallace, the veteran piano man of Bowling Green, was born near Southport, Ind., May 13, 1850, and is of Scotch-Irish descent. He served three years in the regular army, enlisting as a runaway boy, and participated in several engagements with the Sioux Indians. Com-

ing out then with his scalp untaken, although so far as appearances are concerned he might as well have lost it. He has traveled extensively in various capacities, but has been for eighteen years engaged exclusively in the piano and organ business. He now represents the justly celebrated firm of D. H. Baldwin & Co., manufacturers and dealers, and brings pianos and organs from factories to firesides at trifling cost, saving buyers 25 per cent. Mr. Wallace is a man of strong convictions, with no inclination to conceal them. He is a Baptist and a Republican, a woman suffragist and a total abstainer. But believing that, next to Jesus, Liberty is the Saviour of the world, he is an ardent and unwavering public and private advocate of free thought and free speech for everybody. The heroes of the dead centuries at whose shrines worships, are the men who have stood for Liberty and uplifted the submerged classes.

JOHN H. FENWICK.

A Popular Man and a Good Citizen of Bowling Green.

One of the most interesting men and loyal friends in Bowling Green is an Englishman. He is Mr. John H.



INTERIOR OF F. MAIER'S JEWELRY STORE.

Fenwick. He was born in the County Durham, England, April 12, 1852, and came with his parents to this country when only four months old. He spent his early youth at Hawesville, Hancock County, but later moved to Hopkins County. Eighteen months afterward he went to California, where he spent eight years.

After tiring of the Golden State Mr. Fenwick again resided in Hopkins County and for a while lived in Pennsylvania. Leaving the Keystone State he finally located in Bowling Green in 1881 and has since been one of our best and most popular citizens.

By profession Mr. Fenwick is an electrical and steam engineer. At present he is bookkeeper for Roe-

mer Bros., and is one of their most valued employees. He has always been active in local politics. He served both as councilman and as a member of the Board of Public Works. Aside from his popularity in business circles Mr. Fenwick is prominent in secret societies. He is a thirty-second degree Mason, an Odd Fellow, an Elk, a member of the Royal Arcanum and was a member of the B. of L. E. He is recorder of the Bowling Green Commandery, K. T. No. 23, secretary of Bowling Green Chapter 38, Tyler for the Elks and has served through the chairs in Odd Fellowship.

W. F. TOOPS & SON.

Dealers in Country Produce of All Kinds—Hides, Feathers, Etc.

Few people recognize the magnitude or importance of the poultry, eggs, hides and feather industries of Bowling Green, but the merchants of this class cause thousands of dollars to be spent here annually.

One of the leading firms of this kind, in this city or in the State, is that of W. F. Toops & Son. It is one of great utility to Bowling Green.

gaged in this line of business since 1871. He commenced at Corydon, Ind., and has been in Bowling Green nine years. During all this time the business of this progressive house has been growing constantly and now it is one of Bowling Green's best paying enterprises. The firm ships most of its purchases east. It solicits the products of the farmers and merchants of this section, promising to pay the best prices.

CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK.

The Only National Bank in Warren County.

Since its formation less than a year ago the Citizens' National Bank has



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made surprisingly rapid strides and its reports to the United States Treasury Department are more than pleasing to its stockholders and friends.

The directors of this institution are among the wealthiest, most prominent and most influential business and professional men in the city. Col. T. J. Smith is the head of the board and president. Mr. Thomas H. Beard is the cashier. The directors are: Col. Smith, Mr. C. S. Allen, Maj. R. Wells Covington, Hon. Joseph G. Covington, Mr. M. B. Nahm and Mr. James Cuthbertson. These gentlemen and many more of our representative citizens deposited with the Treasury Department at Washington \$100,000 to secure depositors and were then given a national bank charter and began operations in January, 1901. Since the new bank started business it has increased daily until now its deposits are large, its exchange and collecting a credit to it, and its general business most gratifying to those interested. Its rapid success in the world of finance is largely due to personal popularity and the popularity of the directory employed in the bank, together with their integrity and business methods. The institution is one of the soundest in Southern Kentucky and is the only national bank in Warren County. It solicits your patronage and all relations with it will be of the most confidential nature.

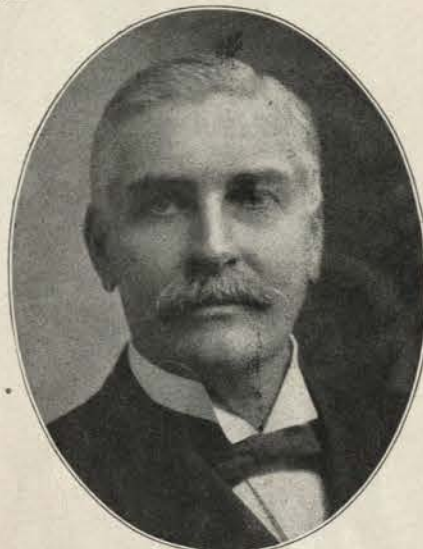


OFFICE AND YARDS OF THE FAVORITE ICE & COAL COMPANY.

P. J. POTTER'S SONS.

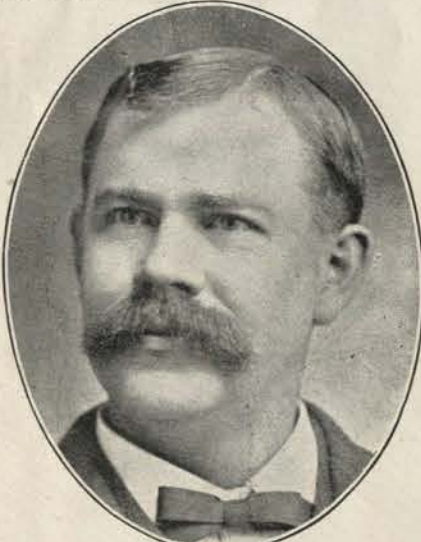
The Oldest Banking Firm in Warren County.

The proud old banking house of P. J. Potter's Sons is the oldest institution of this kind in Bowling Green or Warren County, and it enjoys the reputation of being one of the safest and best managed in the State. It was established in 1869, the firm then being Potter, Vivion & Co., and for these long years its affairs have been so admirably administered that it has grown to be one of the wealthiest financial institutions in the State. After ten years Mr. Vivion withdrew from the bank and the firm became P. J. Potter & Co., composed of the venerable head of the family and his three sons, J. E., H. P. and W. J. Potter. In 1898 Mr. Pleasant Potter retired from business and left the bank, which his guiding hand has made such a success, to his sons. The



JAS. ERASMUS POTTER.

bank then became known as P. J. Potter's Sons. In 1900 Col. H. P. Potter died and since the firm's affairs have been conducted by the surviving brothers. In so limited a space it would be impossible to give but a passing mention of the individual members of the banking house firm. The family is the wealthiest in Warren County. The combined property of the members of this firm is very large and every cent of it is li-



R. E. WILKERSON.

ble for whatever obligations the house may incur. Mr. J. E. Potter has been with the bank for more than thirty years. Col. Potter served sixteen years and Mr. W. J. Potter has now been with the institution eighteen years. The bank does no speculative business but is conducted on safe, sound, secure and business methods and has the full confidence of the public at large. In the nature of its operations the bank is metropolitan, transacting all branches of legitimate business, such as receiving deposits, granting loans and discounts, selling bills of exchange and making collections at all available points. Its deposits have always been large and increasing each year, until now they are larger than any bank in Southern Kentucky.

Mr. J. E. Potter is the President of the bank and W. J. Potter cashier. By reason of the fact that both members of the firm have been virtually brought up in the banking business



INTERIOR VIEW OF TENTH STREET CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

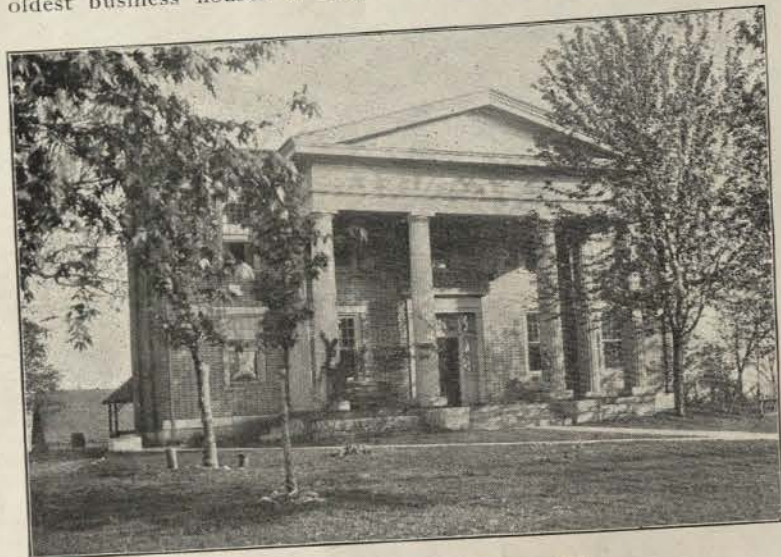
they understand it in all its details, and the affairs are faithfully and judiciously administered. There are no more popular men in Warren County than the Potter boys, and they richly deserve the splendid success they have achieved in placing their bank in the front rank of the financial institutions of the State.

YOUNGLOVE'S DRUG STORE.

Oldest Business House in Bowling Green.

In this article we deal with one of the oldest business houses in Bow-

ling Green, and, of course, one of the best known, and certainly most popular, or it could not have maintained over half a century's continued existence. We mean Younglove's drug store.



RESIDENCE OF HON. JAMES C. SIMS.

In January, 1842, A. Starr and J. I. Younglove opened the drug store in its present quarters, corner State and Main streets. About a year afterwards, however, Mr. Starr died, and the business was continued by Mr. Younglove. On the first of April, 1844, John E. Younglove, the present proprietor of the establishment, came to Bowling Green from Johnstown, New York, to learn the business of a

where in this edition. When this house was first opened the ways of the merchant were entirely different to what they are now, and in fact for years after. It took three months to receive goods ordered from Boston or New York, and to get eastern exchange at times it cost ten per cent. Those were the days before the "iron horse" had come and all goods had to be transported overland in wagons and were hauled for the most part by six-horse teams. Goods had a roundabout way to come to reach Bowling Green. They first came by wagon over the mountains in Pennsylvania to the Monongahela river.



COUNTY ROAD SUPERVISOR HARRIS AND CREW.

Then they were floated down the river by flatboat or steamboat to Louisville, and when they reached Louisville that was as close as they could come to Bowling Green by rail or water. From Louisville they were hauled to Bowling Green in wagons. If goods came by water they were shipped by sail boat from Standing Point to New Orleans, then up the Mississippi and Ohio to Evansville, and Green river to Bowling Green. If you go into a store nowadays and want something your merchant haps not to have in stock he orders it for you and you have it within two days at the least. In that olden time, however, of which we speak, one could hardly wait to receive an article on order, for it always took several months for it to arrive.

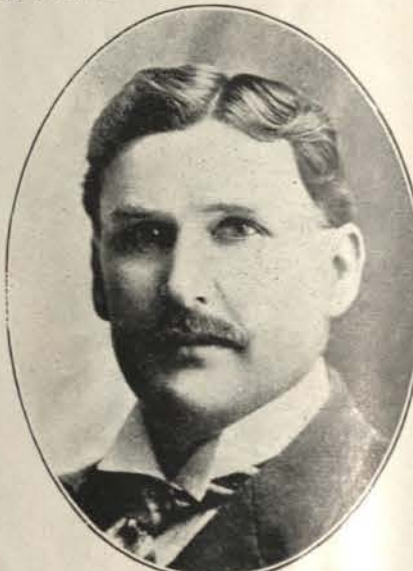
Besides being the oldest and one of our best pharmacists, Dr. Younglove is one of our most highly respected and best beloved citizens. He has spent a lifetime among our people



L. A. JENKINS.

and there is scarcely a man, woman or child in the county who has not heard of Younglove's drug store, and who does not know the kindly face of Dr. Younglove.

Since becoming a resident of Bowling Green in the long ago, he has always been thoroughly identified with other interests and has taken an especial pride in whatever has tended to advance the material, moral or social conditions of the city. Personal-



A. E. WHITTEMORE.

ly he is a plain, unassuming man, kindly in his bearing and deferential and courteous to all, and much to his credit be it said he has learned how to grow old gracefully.

The person who does not make a start never accomplishes anything. The man who waits until he has money enough to buy a home, in all probability will not have a home of his own until he gets to heaven. Thousands of property owners started by buying a home on the installment plan. Just like paying rent, but at the end of a certain period the property is your own. Quit paying rent. See C. D. Herdman.

Our beautiful and well-kept parks would be a credit to any city four times the size of Bowling Green.

OLD RELIABLE

Book and Stationery House of T. J. Smith & Company.

For years T. J. Smith & Co.'s establishment, on Park Row, has been known as the "Old Reliable" book store. It is the oldest concern of the kind, not only in this city, but in this section, and has achieved a remarkable success. Col. T. J. Smith, who has always been at the head of the firm, who is now President of the Citizens' National Bank, is one of Bowling Green's best financiers and business men. He served in the city council for years, was mayor of the city and has always been thoroughly identified with Bowling Green's interests, and her material and moral development. Col. Smith is commander of the Third regiment of the K. S. C., a position he has held for years, and during the Spanish-American war took his regiment to Cuba. But



DR. R. T. BARR.

it is with him as a business man we now care to deal. Associated with him in the conduct of the large book store are his two sons, Roland and Henry Smith, who have grown up with the business and know it in its every detail. They are not only splendid young business men, but are courteous and affable gentlemen, who are very popular with everybody.

The house is headquarters for literature of all kinds, law books, school



C. W. DUNCAN.

books and supplies, blank books, stationery, wall paper, window shades, frames, etc. The stock, a large and varied one, offers a wide selection from which to choose. The magazine department is especially noticeable; here all the leading and best magazines and other periodicals and books of a like nature may be seen.

MARTIN DEVRIES

Proprietor of the Oldest Bakery in the City.

On another page of this issue will be found an excellent photo-engraving of our fellow townsman, Martin DeVries, proprietor of the oldest and longest established bakery in the city. Mr. DeVries besides being a business man of progressive ideas, is prominent in fraternal circles, and is a member of the A. O. U. W., Knights of the Maccabees; Y. M. I. and C. K. & L. of A. He has been



RESIDENCE OF H. L. GALVIN.

DR. E. N. HALL.

One of Warren County's Best-Known, Most Successful and Popular Physicians.

particularly active as a member of the A. O. U. W., and holds offices of great importance in that order, being a committeeman of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, and a district deputy. These honors have been justly conferred upon him for there never was a more earnest or active worker in the order. Some years ago when Bowling Green Lodge, No. 8, A. O. U. W., possessed nothing other than twelve members, a charter and a big debt, he undertook the almost hopeless task of reorganizing and putting the lodge upon a firm footing. How well he has succeeded is best evi-

The subject of this sketch, Dr. E. N. Hall, was born in Simpson County on December 15, 1858. He attended the common schools of his county and finished his education under the tutelage of Prof. C. C. McCutcheon. For his medical training he attended the University of Tennessee, graduating from that famous institution in 1881. After his graduation, which



WEBB'S HOTEL.

denced in the statement that Bowling Green Lodge No. 8, with its 300 odd members, is the largest of any lodge organization in the city, and the second largest in point of membership in the State in the A. O. U. W. order. Not contented with his work here, Mr. DeVries has worked earnestly in the interest of the order, and has organized many lodges in the State. It is not too broad an assertion to say that there is not a stronger believer or a more indefatigable worker in A. O. U. W. circles than he.

equipped him thoroughly well for his profession, he located at Woodburn, in this county, and began the practice of medicine. Though a young man, he met with few obstacles and had soon established himself in the confidence and esteem of the people and entered at once upon a good practice. He is one of those physicians to whom the practice of medicine seems to come as something entirely natural and having equipped himself well and being of studious habits and possessing a large modicum of good, common sense, it is not to be won-



VIEW OF GREEN RIVER ASPHALT MINES.

dered at that he met with success from the very beginning of his professional career. On October 17, 1883, he was married to Miss Blanche Robb, a daughter of Dr. W. D. Robb, with whom he was associated for a number of years in the practice of medicine. As the result of this union two children were born, both daughters—Earline and Ruth.

Dr. Hall was for a number of years mayor of Woodburn, and made such an efficient and popular official that he could have held the place indefinitely had he desired so to do. But he held another position which was a more distinguished honor, that of President of the Kentucky Medical Association. He discharged the duties of the position with signal ability and in a manner to reflect credit not only upon himself but the association as well. He is at present examiner for eight of the best life insurance companies, and is at the same time President of the County Board of



I. B. COOKE.

Health. The doctor is a member of the order of Knights of Pythias and past chancellor of his home lodge. He is a man who fills with distinguished ability every position to which he is called and is a most useful man in the community where he lives. Personally, he is a perfect specimen of the true Kentucky gentleman. He is affable and courteous to a marked degree and makes friends of all with whom he is thrown. Dr. Hall is al-



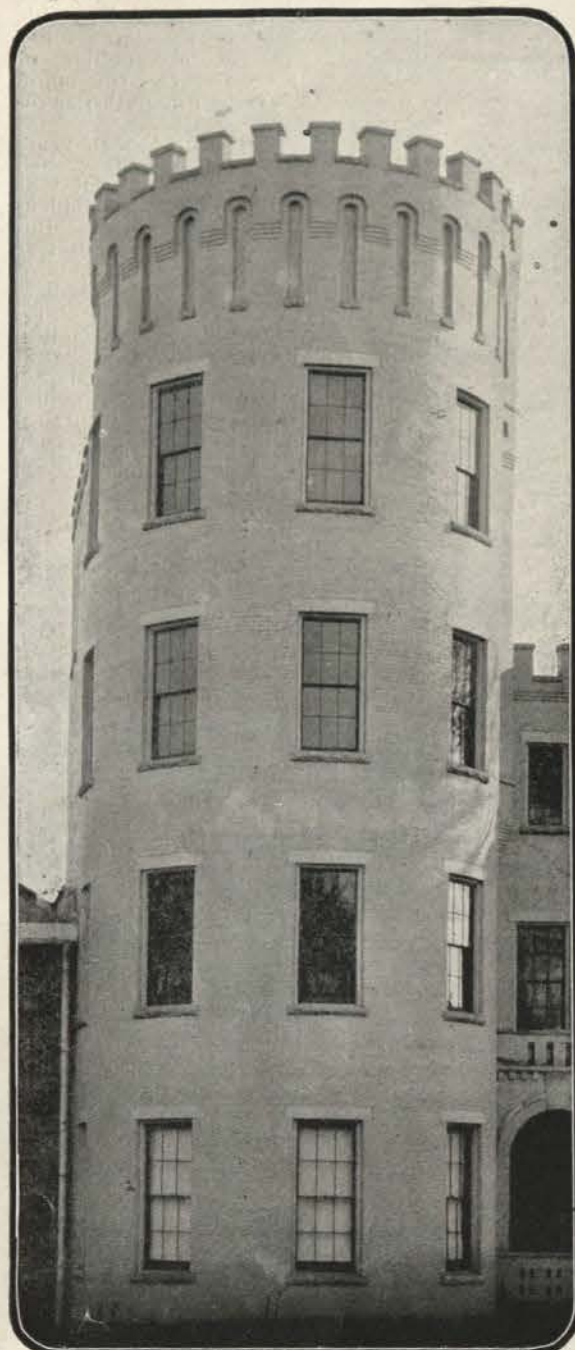
L. B. GRISSOM.

so a Christian in all that the term implies and has always been active in church and Sunday school work and in these matters has wielded a wonderful influence and accomplished a great deal of good.

The person who does not make a start never accomplishes anything. The man who waits until he has money enough to buy a home, in all probability will not have a home of his own until he gets to heaven. Thousands of property owners started by buying a home on the installment plan. Just like paying rent, but at the end of a certain period the property is your own. Quit paying rent. See C. D. Herdman.

Your house may burn tonight. If it not insured you should attend to the matter at once. See C. D. Herdman.

Our Splendid Educational Advantages



SECTIONAL VIEW OF NORMAL SCHOOL BUILDING.



REV. B. F. CABELL.

Aside from our splendid system of public schools there is no institution of learning in Warren County in which the people feel a greater interest or take more pride than what is popularly termed the "Normal School." In truth there are three schools, all under one management, but operated under separate charters, and each supplied with a splendid corps of teachers. They are known as the Southern Normal School, the Bowling Green Business College and the National School of Telegraphy, Civil Service, Railroad and Express.

Prof. H. H. Cherry, than whom the city can boast of no more indefatigable worker, is the prime mover of this mammoth educational enterprise, and it is also through his efforts that the schools have just passed the most successful term since their organization. The attendance during the spring term almost reached the 1,000 mark, and Professor Cherry anticipates even a larger number of pupils next spring.

The college building, recently completed, as seen by the accompanying illustration, is one of the most unique and attractive, from an architectural standpoint, in the South; and its interior has been arranged to conform with all laws of hygiene, and to the comfort and welfare of the students.

The curriculum of the school consists of numerous courses, each arranged with a definite plan and purpose. Combined, they form one complete and harmonious whole, offering all the elements of a thorough, well-arranged, symmetrical college education. They may be extended for any length of time to suit the needs of the student. Thus a student may take part of a course one year and complete it the next year, or at any other time he desires. The entire system of courses requires six years for completion. Each course, standing apart from the others and constituting in one way a unit in itself, may be completed and a diploma or certificate awarded therefor. Degrees are conferred only upon the completion of the Scientific and the Classic Courses.

Earnest Teachers.

There is another feature that may be mentioned that has attracted the attention of our citizens—namely, the teachers of the school superintend the literary societies and the "house," and do much extra work, giving their time and attention free of any charge to the pupils or to the president. It ought to be said in justice to them that there are but few teachers in any school in our acquaintance that are so much interested in the welfare of their president that they will render their services to him free of charge. Perhaps the interest thus manifested is the key to the explanation of the great enthusiasm prevailing throughout the entire school, and also the spirit of fellowship and

brotherhood existing between teachers and students. There is no "arm's length" teaching in this school. All the teachers are the pupils' friends. The school employs a faculty of seventeen able educators. Every member has been chosen because of a peculiar fitness for the work to be done. No school in the South offers a stronger faculty than this institution.

The Law Department.

The school has, from time to time, added such departments as were demanded and as it was able to sustain. In line with this policy, three years ago it established the Law Department. Starting with only a few pupils, it has become one of the most popular departments of the entire institution. The dean of this department, Hon. John Rodes, is considered one of the most learned lawyers in Kentucky. His education, both literary and legal, is of the very highest type. Added to this is an experience broad and varied. In his hands the department continually grows.

The Man at the Helm.

Prof. H. H. Cherry is recognized as one of the best business men in the State of Kentucky. His history reads like a novel. He has forced his way to the top amid all kinds of disadvantages and discouragements. Few men have ever overcome more than he. His will is simply invincible. With him to resolve is to succeed. "Failure" is not in his vocabulary. We have never seen a man who so completely loses himself in his work and so heartily and completely throws himself, soul and body, into his business.



PROF. W. H. PRITCHETT.

Along with his thoroughness of teaching he possesses an unusual degree of personal magnetism, incites his pupils to their best efforts, and inspires them with desires for yet higher attainments. The more our citizens study him and his methods, the more firmly they are convinced of his great power of leadership. His pupils love him as a father, and would do anything in their power to demonstrate their affection for him.

The growth of this popular institution is almost phenomenal. Though unendowed and unassisted by denominational influences, it has outgrown heavily endowed and great denominational schools. There is but one explanation of it: It is satisfying the demands and meeting the wants of the people. It is now nearly thirty years old, and is larger, stronger and more popular than ever before. Another fact should be taken into consideration in estimating the elements of its strength: Its pupils are its best friends and best advertisements. It is not uncommon to see a former student return with five or six of his friends, whom he has induced to attend this school.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Pride of the Citizens of Bowling Green.

If necessity is the mother of invention, she was also the mother of our city schools. In 1881 it became apparent to some of our most progressive people that our educational advantages were inadequate to the needs of an ambitious little city. As a result of a public agitation, the people voted to establish a system of graded public schools.

This was done in the face of strong opposition. Strange as it may appear today, the argument was made that free schools should exist only for the children of the poor; that people of any means should themselves educate their children, and that it was as much the duty of parents to furnish education as food and clothing. Some property owners also opposed on the ground that public schools would raise the tax rate. In the vigorous little agitation these arguments were given an effective quietus.

The first board of school directors consisted of Hon. H. C. Hines, Mayor A. J. Claypool, T. J. Smith, J. A. Mitchell, J. M. Wilkins, J. A. Graham, and H. E. Jenkins, three of whom are still in that station, and two of whom have always been a tribute of the people to their faithfulness and competency. Bonds were issued for the erection of a building. Mr. Wilkins and Mr. Smith were appointed to inspect the new school building at Hopkinsville. As a result, ours is a duplicate of it. It was completed during the winter and school was opened Jan. 29, 1883.

The original corps of teachers was eight in number, three of whom are still at the work. As superintendent the trustees employed Professor W. B. Wylie, coming from school work at Ashland, Ky. For twelve years he remained at the head of the teaching force till his lamented death in 1894. It may be said that he was the maker of our city schools, wisely shaping them when in the formative state. He happily combined popular-

ity as a citizen with competency as a superintendent. At the present time the enrollment is about 1,200 pupils, including both white and colored. There are twenty-two grade teachers and two special supervisors. The course of study includes all the common school branches in eight years. There is no high school, the three higher institutions of the city meeting that need to some extent.



REV. J. A. HARDING.

There is a school library in each of the three buildings. These aggregate over 1,000 volumes. Pupils have access to them for home reading. There is also a teachers' library of over 300 volumes. Supplementary books are in use in all the grades to broaden and deepen the instruction. These are school property. Illustrative apparatus, as maps, charts, measures, microscope, is accessible in all grades.

The control is gentle but firm—a kind of iron hand in velvet glove. Offenders only feel the weight of discipline. To others it is light as a feather. The central idea is to develop self-mastery and the habit of right-doing as a necessary preparation for citizenship. That is recognized as the highest duty of the teachers.

In methods of instruction the schools aspire to the best. Without rushing into fads the modern and the proved are cultivated in order to keep the schools in the front. The schools illustrate the fact that when average children are taught by competent teachers, by a correct method, and with good text books, daily wonders of progress are attained.

C.D.Herdman writes fire insurance.

VANDERBILT TRAINING SCHOOL.

Located At the Beautiful Village of Smith's Grove, Ky.

Probably no institution was ever projected within the Commonwealth of Kentucky that had a more phenomenally successful beginning than the one named above; and wise heads presage for it even greater success than it has yet reached. Every indication now is that it will, without doubt, leave in the background the other institutions of the great church by which it is managed. It certainly has many advantages the other schools of the Louisville Conference cannot boast. It has no factions to fight. It is located in the very garden spot of Kentucky. Every preacher in the Louisville Conference is the friend of it and its president, Prof. W. H. Pritchett, A. M. Its educational board is an ideal one—the best in Kentucky, probably. The local community is almost a unit in the patronage and moral support it gives the president and its faculty. It can, therefore, command the largest and best local patronage in the State. It is coeducational in its work and this is now almost universally admitted to be the best system for broadest and deepest culture. It prepares for life as it comes to any prospective citizen, whether the student only cares to attend one term or a sufficient number to enable him to enter the best universities. It has at its back the best university in our Southland. It is denominational, though in no sense sectarian. It is located in an ideal town for a school. The town is inhabited by high-toned families, who are church-goers; who believe in and support college discipline; who will not



MR. C. C. POTTER.

have a saloon; who believe in thorough, Christian education—indeed, "a town of churches"—no better town in Kentucky for its size. The last recommendation for the school we name here, is the fact that with all its thor-



MRS. C. C. POTTER.

Its methods are up-to-date—its buildings commodious; its teachers are in touch with pupils; its grounds are ample, and, as has been said, it has already, its first year, matriculated, under its indomitable president, a



VANDERBILT TRAINING SCHOOL, SMITH'S GROVE, KY.



POTTER BIBLE COLLEGE.

larger number than most of the other institutions have secured in decades. We cannot on this page give as full an account of this young giant as we would like, but suffice it to say, that it is a candidate for pupils from the counties of Warren, Logan, Butler, Simpson, Allen, Barren, Edmonson from other States than Kentucky. It opens again September 1, 1902. Unobtrusive catalogues will be mailed to any requesting information. The motto of the school is: "Do far more for pupils than you promise."

Address the president for catalogue. And, speaking of the gentleman at the head of this school, we wish to say but a few sentences. He is not an old man, except in experience, tact and will—having taught in the very best schools in Missouri, Tennessee and Kentucky. Whatever else is said of him will be quoted from the "History of Missouri," and the leading religious newspapers of these Commonwealths where he was taught. "President W. H. Pritchett, A. M., ranks among the leading educators of this country. He is the son of Rev. J. H. Pritchett, D. D., one of the most eminent divines in the West. Prof. Pritchett was born Dec. 19, 1858; received his education in the leading colleges of the country, graduating with the highest honors in the Central educational institution of Southern Methodism. Early in life he entered the educational work, and has never faltered in its prosecution. He has taught about 20 years; has occupied the chairs of Ancient and Modern Languages, Natural Sciences, Mental

and Moral Science, Biblical Literature and English Literature. He has taught in four of the leading colleges of Missouri, of two of which he has been President. He has never sought promotion—it has come unsought. He is filled all the chairs of Pythias, having representative of the lodge, and representative of the Grand Lodge. He occupied for several years the distinction of being on the Executive Committee of the State Board of Sunday-schools, being one of the two representatives of the Methodist Church on that board."—Albany (Mo.) Democrat of December 17, 1898.

"Prof. Pritchett, formerly President of Logan Female College, is now principal of the new training school at Smith's Grove."

"He is recognized as one of our best business laymen in the entire church. Our Louisville Conference evidently recognizes him as a leader. The citizens of the staid old town of Russellville have learned that he is one of the most thorough teachers, most patient disciplinarians, and, withal, one of the strongest minds ever in its midst."—Central Methodist, August 8, 1901 (Louisville, Ky.).

SPLENDID SYSTEM

Of Public Schools In County Outside the City of Bowling Green.

There are in Warren county, outside the city of Bowling Green, 86 white school districts, reporting 5,766 pupil children and 30 colored schools, reporting 1,849 pupil children. In addition to the five months' "free" school in each district, more than half the white schools, and some few of the colored, have private or what is called "subscription" schools, of from three to five months. The people are gradually, but very slowly, waking to the importance of more liberal patronage and support of our country schools. Taxes for erection of houses, repair of houses, providing water and fuel for school purposes may now be levied in most districts without giving offense. After the people are thoroughly educated in supporting these matters, which are of primary importance, then it will be necessary, by slow process, to impress them with the importance of providing each school with good and sufficient apparatus. Every school house, in addition to being comfortable, should be attractive and homelike in its appearance. The time is coming, slowly, indeed, but surely, when parents and officers will realize the importance of giving their children the very best available tutelage advantages. This includes school officers, teachers, houses, surroundings and apparatus. Some few changes in our present school law will be necessary, but in the main we have law enough, and law good enough. What we most need is more faithful performance of our duty under the law, and more generous and liberal support from the heads of families, and the public generally, of our common school system.

POTTER BIBLE COLLEGE.

Has a Lovely Site Just Outside the City Limits.

This institution was founded through the benevolence of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Potter, of Bowling Green, who erected the college building, and devoted an excellent farm of one hundred and forty acres to the maintenance of the school. They were induced to do this by the desire to furnish to young men and women, at exceedingly low rates, a first-class collegiate education, and at the same time to have them well drilled in the knowledge of the word of God, the wisest, the most useful, the most accurate and profound of all books. Mr. Potter cultivates the farm, as he did before the building of the school, without charging for his time or labor, and gives the proceeds to the support of the school. Mrs. Potter desires to perpetuate the memory of her son, Eldon, in this institution, and the half-interest in the grounds and buildings which she possesses was bequeathed with money inherited from his estate. It is believed that in no way could she have invested the money more pleasingly to him.

The leading teachers of the school, who are well known as educators by many people in various parts of the

in Hebrew as is being done at the Seminary; and that means as good as is done on the continent. While taking the Hebrew course at Louisville, Professor Kurfees was not excelled by any member of the class. He is finely endowed by nature with the teaching faculty.

Professor R. N. Gardner has been a teacher for nine years. During much of this time he has done work in the public schools, and later in academies and high schools. He is very energetic and earnest in his work. Few students are willing to go to his classes unprepared. He is especially well fitted to prepare students who want to teach in the public schools for the examination necessary to secure certificates.

Professor R. C. Bell has been a teacher for six years. He has done fine work at Potter Bible College this year. Though only twenty-five years of age, he bids fair to stand in the front rank as one of the great educators of the state.

The space allowed to this article forbids a full account of Professor J. A. Klineyman, the German teacher, who spoke the language from his birth; of the genial, happy-hearted professor, D. H. Friend, and his fine classes in elocution and oratory; and of Misses Jimmie and Eva Lively, and Mrs. Lahn, the teacher of music,



CENTER STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL.

POTTER COLLEGE.

The Most Famous and Best Equipped School for Girls in the Entire South.

The best equipped school for the education of girls in the entire South a few days ago closed the most successful year in the history of the institution. The above description so perfectly fits the school to which we alluded that it is hardly necessary for us to say that we refer to Potter College. This school, under the able management of its President, B. F. Cabell, has been a pronounced success from the day it was launched upon its career of usefulness. The school was not established to fill any long felt want, or because institutions for the education of girls were lacking or not to be had, for there were and are plenty of such schools throughout the South, and Potter College at the beginning had to come in competition with many old and established colleges. But President Cabell adopted a policy which could not fail to bring the most gratifying results. That policy was to procure the very best possible teaching talent that could be procured, regardless of cost. Pursuing this policy he surrounded himself with a coterie of the best teachers the country afforded and established for his school a faculty that is equaled by few and excelled by no school in the United States. If it became necessary to send abroad for a teacher, he did not hesitate, but secured her at whatever cost. So that it may be said that the almost phenomenal success the college has achieved, and the world-wide reputation it has attained have come from this policy of President Cabell to give his patrons the very best, in every department of the college, that could be procured.

Though care has been taken in ar-

ranging the course of study, to make it thorough and comprehensive, much more work is done than is indicated by the course itself. Only those who complete the collegiate course, with an average grade of at least 85 per cent, will be eligible for a diploma. Diplomas are not given to pupils on the completion of one or two studies, nor are they offered as an incentive to secure patronage. A diploma with A. B. degree, the only degree conferred, can only be secured on the merit of scholarship. A certificate of proficiency will be granted for the satisfactory completion of the course in English, science, mathematics, elocution, Latin, French, German and music, respectively. This rule of the college has made it one of the strongest educational institutions in America, and placed it on a higher plane than many of the noted colleges of the country.

The next term begins in September and the indications are that the school will be filled almost to overflowing.

OGDEN COLLEGE.

For the Higher Education of Young Men—Oldest School in the City.

Ogden will complete its twenty-fifth anniversary in June next, and is the oldest college in Bowling Green. Its benefits to the county and State have been great and far-reaching. It raised the standard of education in our community, made necessary our present system of city public schools, and paved the way for the other colleges in our midst. Since its organization, in 1877, it has given instruction, free of charge for tuition, to more than a thousand young men of Kentucky, and has enabled many of them to rise to positions of usefulness and influence that, but for its aid, they



RESIDENCE OF HON. JOHN E. DEBOSE.

could not have attained.

Ogden College is an endowed institution. It is not conducted for profit, but for the good it may do. It has a commanding location in the suburbs and beautiful grounds, and ample and experienced faculty, a well-appointed laboratory, and other excellent facilities for its line of work. It prides itself, and justly, on the thoroughness of its instruction. As a tree is judged by its fruit, Ogden College is willing to be judged by its work, and so it refers with confidence to its list of graduates and former students, among whom are found one first vice-president of a great railway corporation, two professors in prominent universities, a superintendent of public schools in one of our largest Southern cities, many able and prominent ministers of the gospel, lawyers, physicians, railway agents, and so on. Perhaps no other school in the land can show, in proportion to numbers, a better record in this respect. The success of a school does not depend so much upon the number of its students as upon the kind of men it turns out.

An excellent feature of this school is, that the classes are divided into small sections for recitation, thus enabling the teacher to individualize in his instruction. The value of the daily drill of the student and of daily contact with the professor can not be overestimated. The excellence of this feature has been realized and commented on favorably, especially by those of its graduates and former students who have afterwards attended universities or professional schools, where, by comparison, they have been able to appreciate all the more the advantages they had at Ogden College.

Another excellent feature of this college is its Art Manual Training Department, where, under the instruction of an able director, the students

are thoroughly trained in free-hand drawing, designing, carving in hard woods, and modeling in clay. The work in this department is always interesting to the student; and it serves not only to develop in him, along useful lines, faculties that can not be reached by mere literary training, but, by enabling him to give expression to his conceptions, it serves also as a means of inducing intellectual work.

Ogden College offers a four years' course of study that thoroughly prepares young men for entrance into higher colleges, professional or technical schools, or gives them a broad foundation for higher positions in business life. By reason of its endowment it grants every year, to worthy young men in need of aid, forty scholarships, which exempt the holders from the payment of tuition. For pay students the fees are hardly more than nominal, being, all included, only \$35 for the entire school year of forty weeks.

The twenty-sixth annual session of the college will begin on the second of September next. Further information may be had by applying for a catalogue.

We can make no mistake when we say that young men desiring a thorough education at little expense, can find nowhere in the State a better school than Ogden College.

ST. COLUMBA'S ACADEMY.

Bowling Green's Oldest and One of Her Very Best Schools.

The oldest educational institution in Bowling Green is St. Columba's Academy, conducted by the Sisters of Charity. It was organized during the dark days of the rebellion under the auspices of the lamented Father DeVries. The commencement exercises for the year occurred only a few days ago and were of peculiar interest.

This academy is noted for the thoroughness of its teaching and the care that is taken to give each pupil the training most needed.

In 1862 four Sisters opened the school, but as the number of pupils soon increased, it was found necessary to add to the corps of teachers. At first the Sisters occupied rented buildings, but later on they purchased a beautiful location, where day pupils and a limited number of boarders were received.

The curriculum embraces all the studies from those pursued by the minors, to the higher branches that go to form a finished education. In advanced grades special attention is given to algebra, geometry, trigonometry, philosophy, botany, geology, literature, history, chemistry, book-keeping, etc. Those pupils desiring to prepare themselves for teachers, receive a thorough drilling in the teachers' course. Reviews and examinations are held at the close of each session. Languages are optional. The Sisters encourage love for the beautiful, knowing well that such a taste has an ennobling influence upon both heart and mind; hence the art and music departments.

A great many of our best people who are now grown up and have families were educated at St. Columba's and their own children attend the

JAMES McNAMARA

And the Splendid Success He Has Achieved in His Line of Business.

There is no prettier or more popular house in the city than that of Jas. McNamara, on Park Row. The house was established about four years ago as McNamara & Burch, and several months ago Mr. McNamara bought out his partner, Mr. Burch, who went to St. Louis to engage in the manufacturing business. Since then Mr. McNamara has been the sole proprietor and has proved more than equal to every emergency. By his aptitude for his business and close attention to it he has built up a large trade and occupies an enviable position in the business life of Bowling Green.

The premises utilized for the business is in the Wilford building on Park row, and consists of a store room with basement, a work shop immediately to the rear of the store and a large ware room 100x25 feet in dimensions.

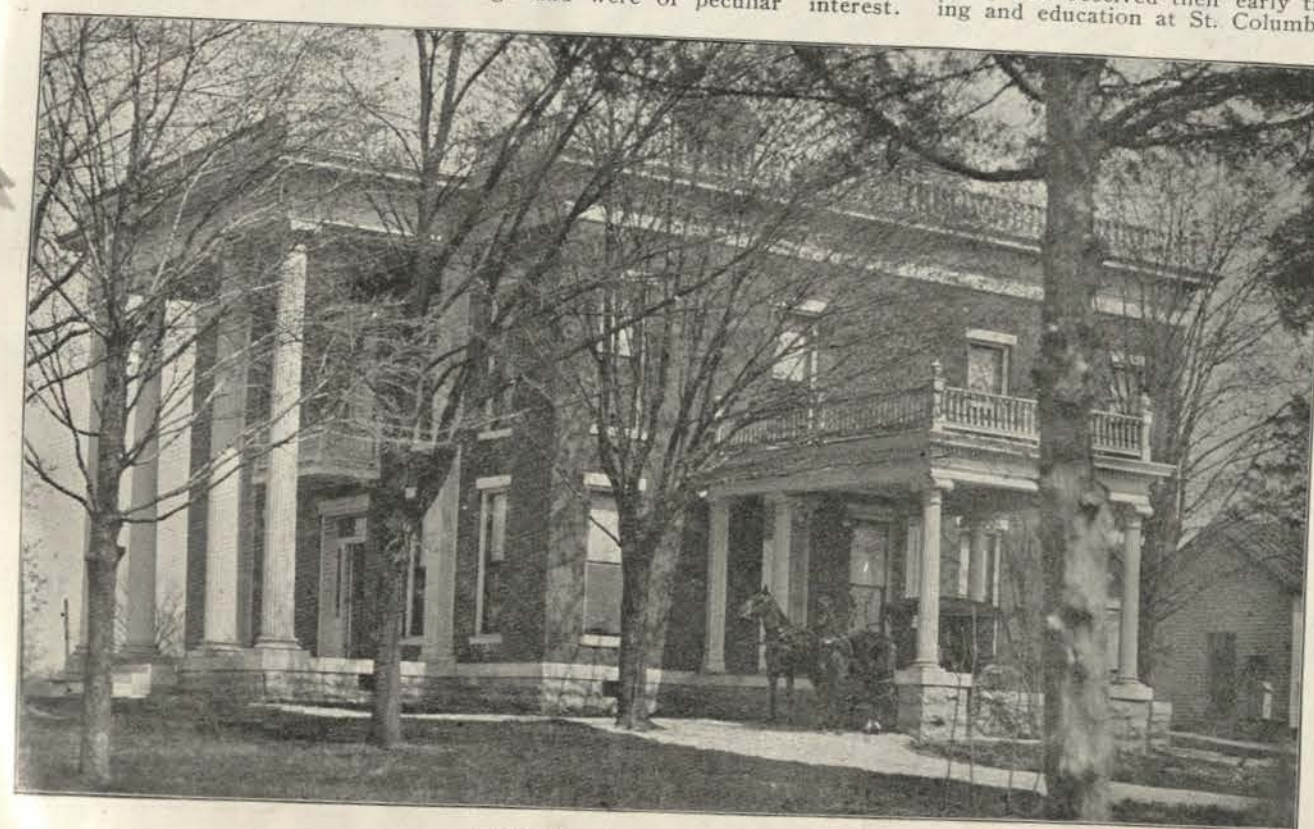
This store is undoubtedly one of the prettiest in arrangement and appointments, and in the display of goods, in this city. He deals in stoves, tinware, glassware, queensware, mantels, grates, etc. In fact,



SECTION OF A CLASS AT WOOD CARVING AT OGDEN COLLEGE.

same institution. Children of all shades of religious belief are sent to St. Columba's because the parents know that they will get that thorough training that is difficult to procure elsewhere, and which will fit them for the battle of life. There are men and women all over the country occupying positions of responsibility and trust, who received their early training and education at St. Columba's.

Mr. McNamara always makes it a point to treat his customers so well that they will return to him again when needing anything in his line. In the matter of competition with other firms all he asks is an inspection of his stock and his methods. He has achieved the success that is his in business by merit alone and had no influential backing to sustain him. He is a fair example of how a young man of pluck, energy and brains can get on in the world. Mr. McNamara is yet a young man, was born and raised in Bowling Green and is essentially a staunch friend of the city and everything pertaining to its interests. Personally he is agreeable and possesses the knack of making friends fast and holding them ever after. There is no more popular or worthy young man in the city and his many friends are glad to note the success he is achieving in a business and commercial way. You are invited to drop in at his store at any time and you may do so with the assurance that you will be courteously treated.



RESIDENCE OF HON. B. F. PROCTER.



OGDEN COLLEGE

United States and of Canada, on this account, and because of the low rates at which they are enabled to run the school, succeeded in filling the commodious buildings from the opening day with bright young men and women from all parts of the country. They came from the state of Washington, from Canada, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and Michigan; from Kansas, Arkansas, Indian Territory and Texas; from Kentucky, Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia and Florida. A fine, intelligent, orderly, energetic body of students—not perfect by any means, but hard to excel in these respects.

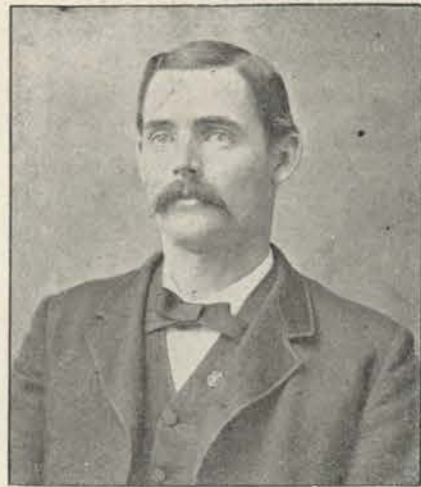
J. A. Harding, the president of the college, was graduated at Bethany College, receiving the degree of A. B. in 1869. He taught an academy at Hopkinsville, Ky., for five years; for the next seventeen years he was engaged in evangelistic work in the United States and Canada; then for ten years he was superintendent of the Nashville Bible School.

Professor J. N. Armstrong, teacher of Latin and Greek, received a diploma from the Nashville Bible School for a course of five years in 1896. For six years he taught Greek in that institution, which, from its beginning, did exceptionally fine work in the ancient languages. He was a teacher of experience and of an excellent reputation when he entered the Nashville school. Since then he has had nine years of experience in the class room doing most thorough work all of the time.

Professor M. C. Kurfees was graduated at the College of the Bible, Kentucky University, in 1881. Afterwards he finished the course in Hebrew at the Baptist Seminary, Louisville, Ky. The Hebrew course at the Seminary is equal to that of any University in America. Professor Kurfees believes his students are doing as good work



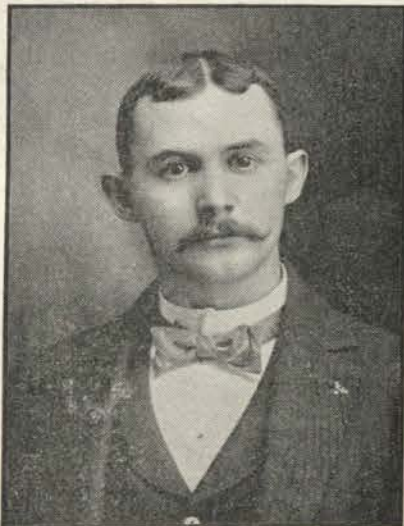
ST. COLUMBA'S ACADEMY.



EMILE F. ROEMER.
NAHM BROS.

Proprietors of Bowling Green's Mammoth Dry Goods Store.

Probably in the history of representative houses of the city no better example can be found of what can be accomplished by energy, integrity and well-directed efforts than is so strikingly exemplified in the successful career of the above house. It occupies a prominent position in the line of trade, and during its existence has maintained a high reputation for uprightness, commercial enterprise and animation, and as each year passes it gains an additional value, making more prominent the honorable and enlightened policy for which the house is so conspicuous. Commodious quarters are occupied at 440 Main street. Neatness prevails on every hand; there is a place for every line of goods and these goods are always in place, no matter how great the demand may be upon the house. Its stock is among the largest to be found in this section and its magnitude and beauty should be seen to be appreciated. Two floors are utilized in the display of goods. The first is devoted to the departments containing dry goods, embroideries, dress goods and notions of every description, and also a complete line of ladies' and children's shoes. The second floor contains an immense stock of carpets and matings and ladies' ready-made garments and their wholesale department. The basement contains a reserve supply of all goods carried on the other floors. Their stock is always new and patrons of this store will be assured of the best and latest furnishings. All goods are purchased in large quantities, and in many instances direct from the manufacturer, thus insuring to patrons the lowest possible prices commensurate with reliable goods. The store room measures 24x150 feet, making an aggregate of 10,800 square feet in the basement and two floors. The store is equipped with the Barr automatic cash system, a metropolitan office, and the building is heated throughout by means of a hot air furnace. The firm is composed of two brothers—Messrs. Moses and Ben Nahm. The senior member, Mr. Moses Nahm, came to this city from Jeffersonville, Ind., in the spring of 1863. He came by river, having come on the noted craft, Hetty Gilmore, which had on board a lot of government supplies and was captured by the



W. H. RABOLD.



HON. W. A. HELM, OF MORGANTOWN, KY.

J. W. BEARCE & CO.

Conduct the Largest and Leading Agricultural Implement House of This Section.

Confederates near Rochester, relieved of the government goods and permitted to proceed to this city. Upon his arrival in this city Mr. Nahm immediately engaged in the shoe business in the old Green River Hotel store-room now occupied by George T. Wilson's drug store. He remained in business there until in 1866, and then moved to a store room, where E. Nahm & Co.'s building now stands. He then added dry goods to his stock of shoes, and Mr. John W. Jackson became partner, the style of the firm being Nahm & Jackson. At the completion of the eGty building in 1871, the above styled firm moved to their present location. In 1870 Mr. Ben Nahm came here from Columbus, Ga., and was engaged as clerk for his brother until 1873, when he purchased Mr. Jackson's interest. Then the firm became as it is now so well known—Nahm Bros. Both these gentlemen are not only good business men, but are public spirited, energetic and progressive citizens, who stand ready at any and all times to lend any aid, financial or otherwise, to help forward any enterprise that tends to the advancement of our city or its citizens.

One of the most extensive agricultural implement houses in Southern Kentucky is that of J. W. Bearce & Co., on Tenth street, in this city. Mr. Bearce is himself a practical mechanic and fits naturally into the business and understands it more thoroughly in all its details than perhaps any man in the State engaged in the same line of business. The firm has always kept on hand an immense stock of farming implements and labor-saving machinery of all kinds and they can furnish you anything from a plow point to an automobile. Since the business was established it has grown to enormous proportions and the firm's success is due to the fact that it always keeps on hand everything belonging to its line, which it sells at the most reasonable prices. The firm has also established a reputation for fair dealing which has grounded them in the confidence of the people. Their growing business has made it necessary for them to have more commodi-



COLLEGE-STREET PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING.

ous quarters and they are now moving into the handsome two-story brick building, 70x103 feet, on Tenth street, just completed by Drs. J. N. and A. T. McCormack. The building was put up specially for this firm and was built according to their directions and it is certainly one of the largest and best arranged houses for the business in the city.

J. W. Bearce & Co. handle in addition to buggies and phaetons, the famous Mitchell wagons, Huber engines and thrashers, Moline cultivators, planters, drills, etc., McCormick reapers, binders and mowers, DeLoach saw mills, a general line of grist mills. They have also built up a large trade in fertilizers, handling the Read and the Homestead brands, two of the leading and popular fertilizers.

Mr. Bearce is one of our city's most popular and successful business men. He is genial and jovial in disposition and has not an enemy in the world. Everybody who knows him is his friend and well wisher and he possesses the happy knack of getting along with everybody, which is in no small degree responsible for the success he has achieved in a business way.

A. S. HINES & COMPANY.

The Oldest and Largest Wholesale Grocery House in the City.

The oldest wholesale grocery house in the city is that of A. S. Hines & Co., on State street. It was the first ever established in Bowling Green and its founder, the late H. C. Hines, was one of Bowling Green's best business men and citizens. He was a member of the city council for years and mayor of the city, and about the close of the war he launched the



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business as H. C. Hines & Company. His son, A. S. Hines, succeeded to the father's interest in the house and has conducted the business since his death, and being a chip off the old block has made it a continued and ever-growing success. His trade has increased until he has one of the largest wholesale grocery establishments in this part of the State, and does an immense business. Mr. Hines is one of our most popular young men. He was born and reared in this city and educated at Ogden College, Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va., and for three years was a cadet at West Point.

He is pleasing and agreeable in manner, and possesses the happy knack of making friends of all with whom he is thrown. Not only in a social but in a business way he binds his friends to him as with hooks of steel and they all swear by him.

His business was founded in 1865 as H. C. Hines & Co., which firm was engaged in both a wholesale and retail trade. Subsequently it was merged into an exclusive wholesale house. The present firm of A. S. Hines & Co. succeeded to the business in 1895, and the energies of this firm are devoted to the wholesale grocery trade.

They now occupy the large building on State street, which was formerly the Methodist church, and keep on hand at all times an immense stock of everything in the grocery line.

C. D. Herdman has a number of choice farms for sale. Call on or write him.

C.D.Herdman writes fire insurance.

HON. W. A. HELM,

Of Butler County, Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Congress in This District.

We present herewith a cut of Hon. W. A. Helm, of Morgantown, one of the best known and best beloved men in the Third Congressional district. A short sketch of him, particularly at this time, will not prove uninteresting.

Mr. Helm was born in Butler County on January 25, 1857. While a boy he attended the common schools of his native county and after attaining his majority attended the law department of Cumberland University at Lebanon, Tenn., from which he was graduated. He then returned to his home at Morgantown and entered upon the practice of his profession. He met with success from the start and has always been the leading lawyer of his section, at least for the twenty years he has been practicing his profession. Besides being a trained and able lawyer, he is a splendid business man and financier and is at present President of the Morgan town Deposit Bank.

Mr. Helm was district delegate to the convention at Chicago, which he has always been an uncompromising Democrat. Personally, he is very popular and his personal popularity in his home county is shown by the fact that notwithstanding Butler can, he was elected School Commissioner of the county, of course receiving a large number of Republican votes. He was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress against Mr. McElroy, of this

tended by Mr. Wilkerson, who himself is a master mechanic of long and finished experience.

In the manufacture and repair of carriages and buggies only the finest material is used and satisfaction in every instance is guaranteed. The priority of his work is best evidenced in the large patronage enjoyed by this house.

In connection with the business, blacksmithing in all its branches and horse shoeing is done in a most scientific manner at reasonable prices. The business was founded some ten years ago, and Mr. Wilkerson, the genial and progressive proprietor, has ever characterized all his business methods with a stamp of equity and reputation, while personally he has gained friends which number legion. His place of business is located at the corner of Main and Kentucky streets.

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WATER WORKS.

city, and Mr. Gorin, of Barren, but withdrew before the race was over in deference to these gentlemen.

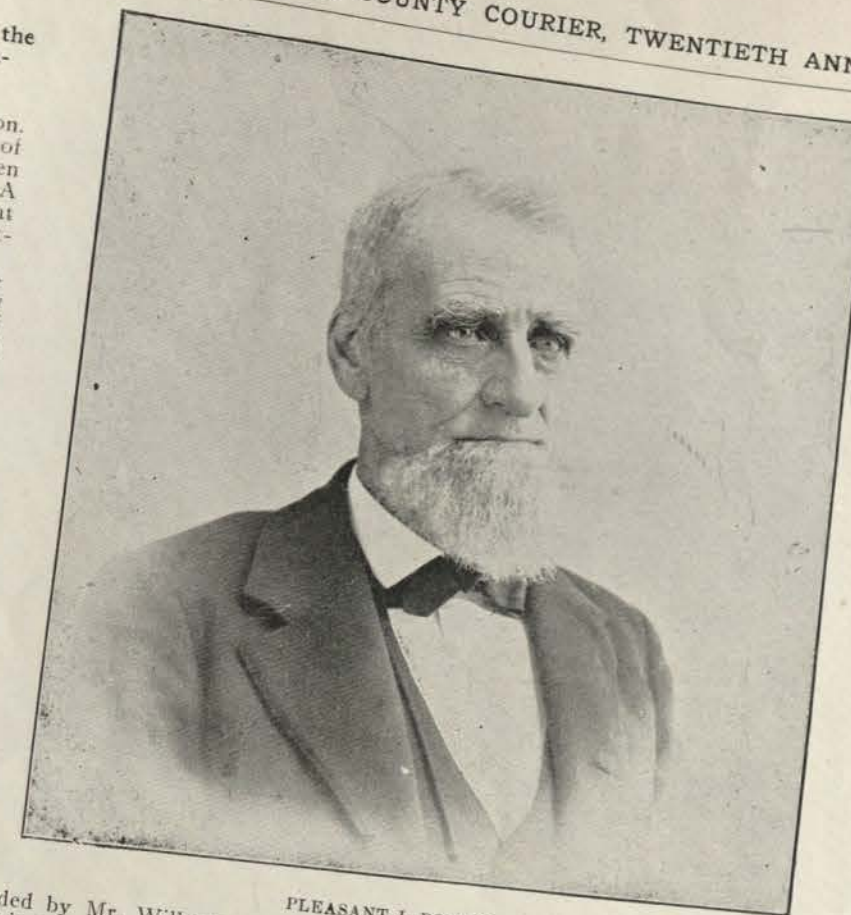
Mr. Helm is again a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in this district against Messrs. Rhea and Hobdy, and is in the race this time to stay. He is a man who is peculiarly well fitted for the position, one whose Democracy is undoubted, and if nominated by his party there can be no question that he will defeat whomsoever the Republicans may nominate against him. He has been mixed up in no factional differences within the party, is an absolutely clean man in every respect and one against whom not a word can be said either personally or politically. He is making a splendid race and no one will be surprised if he lands an easy winner.

R. E. WILKERSON,

Carriage and Wagon Manufacturer, Blacksmithing and Horse-Shoeing.

The above house, which by the extent of its operations and the standard and general excellence of its products, largely contributes to the industrial and trade activity of the city, and speaks in strongest terms of the energy and enterprise of its promoter, R. E. Wilkerson.

This establishment carries on the manufacture of fine carriages, buggies, phaetons, spring wagons, drays, etc., and does all kinds of wood work, making a specialty of repairing and painting and making old wagons new, and putting on rubber tires. The shop is without exception the best equipped in the city for the successful prosecution of the business and all work is personally superin-



PLEASANT J. POTTER.

SAM NAHM,

Buyer and Shipper of Eggs, Poultry and General Country Produce.

There is not a house in Bowling Green that is more widely known throughout this section or enjoys the confidence of the farmer and producer raiser to a larger extent than the one under notice. It has been successfully conducted since 1872 under its present style. In the conduct of the business Mr. Nahm is assisted by Messrs. Samuel Cristal, as business manager, and Fred Nahm, bookkeeper, both well known young business men.

The reputation of the house for fair dealings is standard and the highest cash prices are in all instances paid for eggs, poultry and other country produce, hides, feathers, etc. An exclusive wholesale business is to all parts of the country where the best market is afforded. Farmers, poultry and produce raisers will do well to remember this house and



H. F. STOVALLE.



GEO. T. MASSEY.
that it is here that cash is at all times paid for their products.

DOBSON & SPALDING

Handle Everything New and Up-to-Date in the Grocery Line.

Notwithstanding the sharp competition among dealers in this city in this branch of trade the above firm, although only recently established, maintains a prominent place.

Since the firm began business in March of this year the house has gradually gained ground until today its business will compare favorably with many of the older houses of the city. The firm is composed of Mr. Charles B. Dobson and Mr. C. W. Spalding. Mr. Dobson has been in the grocery business in this city almost continuously for over fifteen years, and is one of the best grocery men of the city. Mr. Dobson was born and raised in this county.

Mr. Spalding has not had the long experience in the business that his partner has had. But he is a splendid young business man, who has many friends and he is rapidly making himself at home in the business. Mr. Spalding has spent nearly his whole life in this county, and is one of the county's most popular and enterprising young men. Their store is located in the Mitchell block, at the corner of Tenth and State streets. The goods are neatly arranged, so as to attract the eye of all who enter the store. Two noticeable features are the scrupulous cleanliness of the store, and the general excellence of the various stocks.

The usual line of staples are carried, but the department in which the store particularly excels is in fancy groceries. Among the higher grades of goods handled are the celebrated Heekin coffees and spices. They also handle the stuffed Mangoe pickles, the finest pickles on the market.

Free delivery of goods is made to all parts of the city and at all times every effort is made to make the trade relations with this house profitable and agreeable to all.

Your house may burn tonight. If it not insured you should attend to the matter at once. See C. D. Herdman.



CHARLES ROEMER.

DUNCAN & GRISSOM.

Wholesale Grocers and Provision Dealers a Big Business.

Bowling Green is the recognized center of mercantile activity in what is known as the Pennyrile section of Kentucky, and within the last two years especially has the wholesale business of the city grown most astonishingly. No other interest has attained such a remarkable degree of development as has the wholesale grocery business, and prominent among her most active, enterprising and successful houses engaged in this line of trade is that of the widely-known firm of Duncan & Grissom.

The firm is composed of Messrs. Claude W. Duncan and Lanes B. Grissom. These gentlemen have been associated together since August, 1900, and under their able administration the business has grown rapidly, forcing them from time to time to increase their stock until today they can boast of one of the most substantial and best-paying establishments of the kind in Southern Kentucky. They do a strictly wholesale business, selling only to merchants, and their business is not confined to this immediate section, but they enjoy a fine patronage from some of the best merchants in adjacent counties, and especially down Barren and Green rivers. They have two traveling representatives, who remain on the road constantly. The business was established in 1896, under the firm name of Duncan, Martin & Co. The following year Mr. Martin disposed of his interest in the business to Mr. W. L. Yarbrough, the style of the firm being Yarbrough & Duncan. Later Mr. Yarbrough disposed of his interest, and Messrs. R. C. and C. W. Duncan continued the business until August, 1900, when Mr. Grissom purchased the interest of R. C. Duncan. When the concern was first established, and until about a month ago, the business was located in the store room in the Covington building, just below the postoffice, but on account of want of room they were forced to move to larger quarters. They are now located in commodious quarters at the corner of Eighth and Adams streets, just across from the L. & N. freight station. They have two long buildings, each 60x80 feet, and both two stories high. The buildings are the property of Mr. Yarbrough and were remodeled and especially prepared for this enterprising firm.

Messrs. Duncan & Grissom recently bought out the oil, salt, lime and cement business of Mr. W. H. Mitchell & Co., who for twenty years or more had successfully conducted the business.

This house is well arranged and stocked with a complete line of fancy and staple groceries, tobacco, meats, oils, etc. All goods are received direct from the producers and are offered to the trade at the lowest market prices. Their facilities for handling the business are of an unusually complete character, enabling them to offer special advantages to customers and to fill orders in a most satisfactory manner.

Both members of the firm are noted for their integrity and business sagacity and are deservedly popular with the trading public. They are highly esteemed in commercial circles for

their enterprise and sound, well-balanced judgment, together with their methodical and straightforward system of dealing.

JAMES CUTHBERTSON.

Dealer in Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Trimmings, Etc.

Conspicuous among the first-class business houses of Bowling Green and one that stands out pre-eminently among the best is the well-known dry goods store of Mr. James Cuthbertson, located in the splendid three-story building known as the Getty building. The policy of this house has always been a liberal and progressive one in dealing with the trade and the saying "once a customer, always a customer," is strikingly true with this house.

The store room is as large as any in the city, and has only recently been fitted up in handsome style and the two floors throughout are as neat and inviting as "my lady's" parlor. Mr. Cuthbertson carries an immense stock of everything necessary to please the fastidious tastes of the large number of ladies who are sure to find exactly what they want at Cuthbertson's. He carries in stock a complete line of dry goods, dress goods, silks, satins, ladies' furnishings, ladies' and children's shoes, etc. His stock is complete in every re-



INTERIOR VIEW OF TOWNSEND & VALENTI'S DRUG STORE.

who, later, in 1871, erected the imposing business block, half of which is now the property of Mr. Cuthbertson. He went into the dry goods business on his own account in 1877, and from the very beginning was successful.

This plan whenever you step into the store you will see the corps of polite clerks, the delivery men and everybody else on the move. He simply will not allow goods to remain in the house after they are sold, because when his customers order them they do not care to wait an unreasonable length of time to get them. Another policy of his has been to keep on hand what the people want and they are always able to find there everything kept in the grocery line. In fact, if you want something in this line and can not find it at Galvin's you need not look further, for it is not to be had in the city. Mr. Galvin is one of our best known and most popular citizens. He has served with distinction in the city council and has the reputation of being one of the city's best, safest and most conservative business men. Personally, he is kindly in disposition, deferential in manner and makes friends of all with whom he is thrown. He richly deserves the splendid success he has achieved in the business and commercial world. In this edition is a handsome cut of his residence at the corner of Tenth and Kentucky streets.

The business was established by Mr. Galvin in 1886, and by constantly studying the wants of the trade, selling at the lowest living prices, and carrying a superior line of goods he has succeeded in establishing a trade second to none in the city. The business is such that five wagons are required in delivering orders, and they are kept busy at all hours during the day.

In addition to his large retail trade, Mr. Galvin does considerable jobbing, and this branch shows a steady and healthy growth.

CHAS. VONDERSCHER.

Bowling Green's Leading Junk Dealer.

Fortune continued to smile on him from time to time until today he is reckoned as one of our wealthiest citizens. He has been in business continuously, with the exception of the year 1897, and part of 1898. Mr. Cuthbertson is in fine shape financially and discounts all his bills, and on this account is able to sell high-grade goods at much lower prices than the average merchant.

Mr. Cuthbertson is one of our most substantial business men. He is an honest Christian man and has for years been closely affiliated with the Presbyterian church, of which he was a deacon for a long time. He was lately elected to the position of elder.

H. L. GALVIN.

A Popular Man Who Has One of the Largest Retail Groceries in the City.

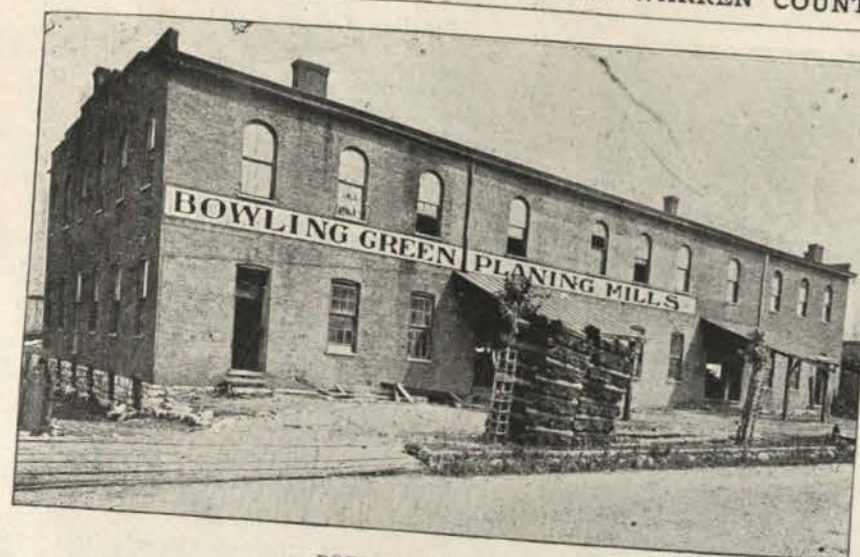
One of the largest retail grocery establishments in the city is that of H. L. Galvin, at the corner of Main and Kentucky streets. This house has established a reputation for prompt and accurate delivery of goods which is not equaled, perhaps, by any other house in the city. Mr. Galvin is a quick, alert business man and keeps everything about him on the jump. When he gets an order he sees to it that it is filled and fitted at once. Because of the pursuance of

One of the most important industries of the county and one which is the means of bringing large sums of money into the county every year is that conducted by Mr. Charles Vonderscher. His business consists in buying junk of all kinds, which he disposes of and ships to the larger cities. He pays the highest market price for all kinds of scrap iron and old metal of any description. He is also in the market for old rags of all kinds and everything else in the line of junk.

Mr. Vonderscher was born in Sandusky City, Ohio, August 4, 1850, and for over twenty-six years he has been engaged in the business which he now follows. He came here about three years ago from Mt. Vernon, Ind., where he resided for a long while.

His place of business is located at the corner of Main and Clay streets. He and his estimable wife also make their home at the same place. Parties who have anything in this line which they would like to sell can leave word there or call 'phone No. 455, and Mr. Vonderscher will call and get the goods.

Get rid of the old iron and other rubbish about your premises. Mr. Vonderscher will be glad to call at your home, get it out of your way, and pay you the market price for the same.



ROEMER BROS. MILL.

ROEMER BROS.

Two of Our Best Business Men, Who Conduct a Large Planing Mill.

One of the most important business enterprises of Bowling Green is the planing mill of Roemer Bros., on Clay street, between the Portage railroad and Main street, near the L. & N. depot. They do business in a large brick building with two stories and a basement. It is a commodious structure, well suited for the purpose for which it is used, and is one of the best known buildings about the city. The firm conducts a planing mill on up-to-date principles and makes a specialty of filling all orders promptly and satisfactorily. They have a large trade in sash, doors, blinds, and in fact in everything that pertains to a first-class planing mill. During a season they use up an immense amount of lumber. The members of the firm are Emile F. and Charles Roemer, and they have both grown up in the lumber trade, so to speak, and know it like a book. In connection with their planing mill they run a large saw mill at Mottley, which is under the direct supervision of Mr. Charles Roemer, while Emile Roemer has charge of the planing mill. These two mills give employment to about forty men, which gives some idea of the scope and importance of the enterprise. They started in the business in 1897 and have thus been engaged in it for five years. During that five years they have greatly increased it in all its branches until they now have one of the most extensive establishments of the kind in this part of the State. They have met with the most gratifying success in the conduct of their business, and have won upon merit alone and by fair and upright dealing with their patrons. They are both Bowling Green boys and were born and raised in Delafield. They were educated in the county and city schools and no men are more popular or stand higher in the community. They are among our very best citizens and are liked and esteemed by everybody. In this edition appears a cut of their mill and they now have in their yards for sale 600,000 feet of quartered and plain oak.

TRADING STAMP STORE.

Successfully Conducted by Mr. A. E. Whittemore.

One of the enterprises of the city which has received hearty approval of the citizens of Warren County is that of the Trading Stamp business, which was first inaugurated here about four years ago by Mr. Whittemore. When the business was first started here the people were not acquainted with the nature of the business, but from year to year, as they became educated, the collection of red trading stamps is as much a part of the every day business life of thousands of shoppers as is that of buying food and clothing. The business under Mr. Whittemore's direction, has been conducted on the very highest business principles. In exchanging stamp books for the many valuable and useful presents to be found in the stamp store, they have always gotten the very best values, and this record of fair dealing is one of the reasons why the business has proven such a great success here. He is an energetic, progressive citizen and has

the very highest esteem of the business men of this community, as well as the people throughout this section of the State.

If you do not thoroughly understand the trading stamp business call at the stamp store, in the opera house building, on Main street, and have the business explained to you. It will be money in your pockets.



READING ROOM OF THE Y. M. C. A.

ALEX. DUVAL.

Prominent Dealer in Dry Goods, Dress Goods, Etc.

One of the most progressive and successful dry goods merchants of the city is Mr. Alex. Duvall, who for over nine years has conducted a dry goods store at the corner of Main and State streets. He has the reputation of being a leader in his line. His store is one of the most tastefully arranged in the city and the headquarters for buyers, who want the very latest of everything in the line of dry goods, dress goods, trimmings, ladies' furnishings, shoes, etc. On the second floor he carries a full line of carpets and matings and in this line he has perhaps a larger trade than any house in the city. He also makes a specialty of ready-made skirts, suits and ladies' undergarments. A millinery establishment is also conducted in connection with the house in a room adjoining the main store room.

The Barr cash and carrier system is used in conveying purchase money and goods to the cashier and wrapping department, greatly facilitating the ability of this house to quickly supply the trade without tedious delays.

Mr. Duvall is a live, progressive business man, and devotes his entire energies to his business. He is a shrewd, careful buyer and his stocks are always new and contain the latest in fashions as soon as they are upon the market.

THE FARMERS' BANK.

A Prosperous Institution of the Village of Smith's Grove.

No business institution in the county of Warren is held higher or enjoys the confidence of the people to a greater extent than does the Farmers' Bank, of the thriving and pretty little village of Smith's Grove. The bank was established in 1899, and since the beginning has met with popular favor and is now doing a fine paying business. Mr. Jas. R. Kirby is at the head of the institution as cashier, and has held the position since the bank was first organized. He is a man of splendid business ability and no man in the county is held in higher esteem or enjoys the confidence of his fellow men more than he. He understands the banking business thoroughly and the business is conducted on the very soundest principles of banking ethics. They deal in exchange, attend to collections and, in fact, do a general banking business, and are noted far and wide for their fair and upright dealings, and have won for themselves a reputation that any business concern might well feel proud. The bank is as sound and safe as any in the county and in its management no better man than Mr. Kirby could be secured. He is a live, progressive bus-

GERARD & GERARD.

Some Interesting Things About This the Oldest Undertaking Establishment in the City.

The oldest undertaking establishment in the city or Southern Kentucky is that of Gerard & Gerard, at the corner of College and Tenth streets. The business was founded in 1843 by the late lamented John C. Gerard. Mr. Gerard came up the river on a boat, from New Albany, on the way to the South, and the boat had to lay up for some reason at Bowling Green, and decided to locate here. There was no house here at that time and Mr. Gerard built the body of the first one that was ever used here, and it is still intact and in use. He at first got a job of work as a cabinet maker, but soon went into the undertaking and furniture business for himself, thus laying the foundation solidly and well for the business which is in existence to this day. He prospered in his business and in 1847 was married, and at the result of the union nine children were born. He was for years the only undertaker in the city and if it could be known how many people he buried the figures would be astonishing. During the war he furnished coffins for 2,000 soldiers and he himself often buried as many as thirty a day. Mr. Gerard, during his life, built quite a number of houses here, and in many ways helped to build up the city. He was a prominent Mason, served for years as a member of the council and was one of Bowling Green's very best men. Mr. Gerard lived until July 29, 1899, when he died with the respect and esteem of all who knew him. His son, Mr. F. C. Gerard, succeeded to the business in 1878, before the old gentleman's death, and in 1893 he sold an interest in the business to E. A. Gerard. In 1897 Mr. F. C. Gerard sold a half of his interest to his son, John M. Gerard, and the firm is now composed of F. C. E. A. and John M. Gerard. It can be truthfully said that there are not three more popular men in the city and no better business men to be found anywhere. The splendid success they have achieved speaks in louder terms of their popularity and efficiency than anything we could say. For sixty years the firm had done business within a radius of 200 feet on College street, but the increasing demands of their trade made it necessary for them to branch out and in December last they built the new quarters now occupied by them at Tenth and College streets. It is a handsome brick structure, built especially for the business, and runs back half the length of the street. They have offices neatly fitted up in front and ample room for their stock farther back, and have in fact as perfect a building as could be arranged for their particular trade. Over the rear part of the building are fitted up some handsome offices which are occupied by the legal fraternity. A cut of their establishment appears in this edition.

Bowling Green has the finest system of schools of any town or city south of the Ohio river.



RECEPTION ROOM IN THE RESIDENCE OF DR. J. O. CARSON.



INTERIOR VIEW OF JAMES McNAMARA'S STORE.



ELEGANT BUILDING OF SOUTHERN NORMAL SCHOOL AND BOWLING GREEN BUSINESS COLLEGE.

E. G. McCORMACK,**Representing the New York Life Insurance Company.**

It is the duty of every man to carry some insurance on his life, either as a protection for his business interests or for the benefit of his family. The New York Life Insurance Company has stood the test for years. It is the strongest insurance company in the world, and those who contemplate taking out insurance should investigate the plans of this company before taking out a policy. The company is represented in this section by Mr. E. G. McCormack, who is too well and favorably known to need a lengthy introduction at our hands. Mr. McCormack has been in the business for over three years and that he is a hustler and working for a company that fills the bill is attested by the fact that he has each year written more than \$100,000 insurance. He is a member of the One Hundred Thousand Dollar Club and has attended three of the club meetings.

One of the strong points of a New York Life contract is that the policy is incontestable from date of issue, and long-drawn-out law suits are thus avoided, which can not be said of any of the other old-line life insurance companies.

We give below a statement of a 20-year endowment life insurance policy in the New York Life Insurance Company, carried for that length of time by one of the leading citizens of Bowling Green. The policy matured last month and the withdrawal has been paid over by the company. During the 20 years he paid in premiums \$9,000, and as will be seen below he drew out \$15,354.80, besides he had the benefit of the protection afforded by the \$10,000 insurance during the 20 years. Following is the statement in full:

The 20 year tontine dividend period of policy No. 158,197 on the life of yourself will be completed April 4, 1902. It gives us pleasure to hand you statement showing the settlements from which a selection is to be made in accordance with the provisions of the policy, if it is in force at the end of period. The policy will be discontinued and—

(L) The guaranteed value of the policy may be withdrawn in cash and the dividend may be converted into an annuity on the life of the insured first payment to be made April 4, 1902, and annually thereafter during his life: Cash, \$10,000; and annuity, \$380.73.

Or (M) The total value may be withdrawn in cash: The total value consists of cash dividend, \$5,354.80; guaranteed value, \$10,000; total cash, \$15,354.80.

Or (N) The total value may be converted into non-participating paid-up insurance payable at death only (subject to evidence of sound

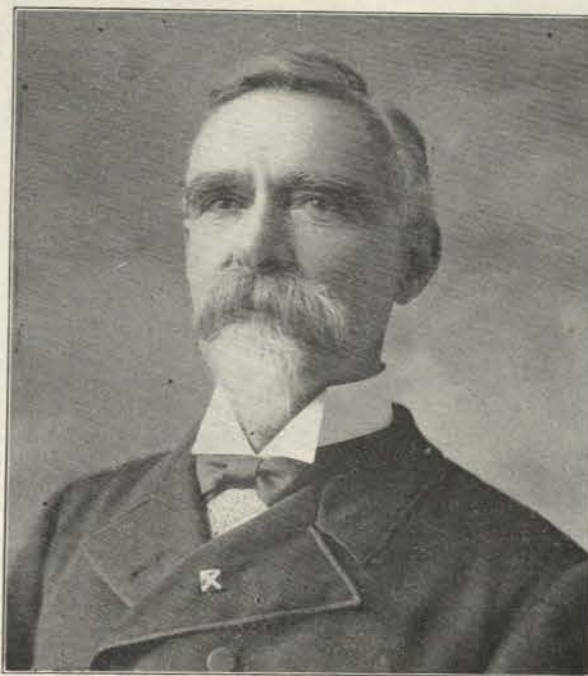
health satisfactory to the company. Total paid-up insurance, \$28,300.

Or (O) The total value may be converted into an annuity on the life of the insured, first payment to be made April 4, 1903, and annually thereafter during his life: Total annuity, \$1,174.64.

C. O. D. COAL COMPANY,**Of Which J. B. Stubbins is Manager, a Successful and Growing Enterprise.**

A comparatively new enterprise and one which has met with success from the very beginning is the C. O. D. Coal Company, of which Mr. J.

B. Stubbins is the manager. It is managed on a different basis from any coal business in the city and is what its name indicates—collect on delivery. This rule has been adhered to and has proved infinitely better for both the patrons and the company. By selling their coal for cash they are in a position to give their customers a reduction in price which can not be secured elsewhere. You get their coal and they get your money and that is the last of it. There is no dunning and trouble and expense of collecting. They handle the celebrated Black Diamond, South Jellico and Straight Creek, three as fine coals as can be found anywhere. Their yards are situated near the



MAJ. W. A. OBENCHAIN.



FARMERS' BANK, SMITH'S GROVE, KY.

Bowling Green Milling Company's Mills and coal can be ordered by telephone and will be promptly delivered to any part of the city. Mr. Stubbins, the manager, is one of our best known and most popular citizens and business men and was for six years clerk of the Warren Circuit Court. He has the happy faculty of making friends and no man in the county has more than he. He is meeting with success in the coal business and demonstrated that his way of conducting it is best for the patron as well as for his company. You are invited to try it for yourself and be convinced.

LON DODD,**One of Our Most Prominent Business Men and Member of the Council.**

One of Bowling Green's best and most successful business men is Lon Dodd, the well-known grocery man. He has been identified with the retail grocery business in this city for so long that any mention of it at once suggests the name of Mr. Dodd. He was born in the Goshen vicinity in this county in 1860 and is yet comparatively a young man. He was educated under the tutorship of the late John Young, who died here last year, aged 104 years. Mr. Dodd came to Bowling Green nineteen years ago and went into the grocery business and has been in it ever since. He met with success from the start and has always been prominent in the grocery trade. He is now a member of the popular firm of Dodd & Duncan, the Main street grocers. Mr. Dodd was elected a member of the city council from his ward last November and is considered one of that body's safest, best and most conservative and influential members. He has also been a member of the Masonic order for nineteen years and stands high among the fraternity. Personally Mr. Dodd is a genial, jolly gentleman, who counts among his friends all who know him, and if he has a single enemy nobody ever heard of it.

MISSSES SUMPTER.

On the inside of the back cover of this edition will be found the attractive "adv" of the Misses Sumpter, whose ladies' tailoring establishment is located on the second floor of the City Hall building.

The Misses Sumpter are modistes of experience and their high art tailoring has always given satisfaction. In addition to a large home trade, out-of-town orders are a specialty. Parties residing abroad will find the Misses Sumpter reliable and that their fit and finish is unexcelled anywhere. Write them and they will interest you in modern wearing apparel.

If you have real estate of any kind you wish to sell, see C. D. Herdman.



PROF. T. C. CHERRY,
Who has just finished a three years' course at Harvard College, will take the chair of Literature, Psychology, Pedagogy, Experimental Chemistry and Physics in the Southern Normal School this fall.

W. H. MILLER,

Among the younger business men of Bowling Green none are more successful or better known than W. H. Miller. He is proprietor of Miller's hardware store on Main street, the only one in that branch of trade in that part of the town. Mr. Miller has had twelve years experience in the hardware business and knows it in every detail. He was for a long time a member of the firm of Miller & Spalding, and later of Miller & Claypool. Last fall he sold out his interest in the latter firm and went into business for himself in his own house, a handsome brick building on Main street, where he still is. Mr. Miller adopted the cash system and having no house rent to pay, and no clerk hire and buying his goods for cash and selling them the same way he is able to furnish them to his customers at astonishingly low figure, when compared with the prices of



DR. E. B. STOUT.

other concerns. He keeps on hand at all times a large and well assorted stock of everything in the hardware line and if you want an article and can't find it there, it is useless to look further. He has been eminently successful and has already built up a large and constantly increasing trade among the best people of the country. Mr. Miller was born and raised in this county and was educated at private schools in the city and at Oden College. He was for a number of years connected with the Warren Deposit Bank in a clerical capacity and is a good banker as well as a hardware man.

Personally he is a pleasing, affable gentleman and counts among his friends all who know him. He is to be congratulated on the splendid success he is achieving in his new hardware venture.

L. A. JENKINS,

There is not a better known man in the city than Luther A. Jenkins, proprietor of the Washington market on Main street. Mr. Jenkins was born in this city in 1857 and has lived the greater part of his life here.

While quite a young man he worked for four years as a machinist in Barclay's planing mill and after that was engaged in the grocery business for ten years with the late H. E. Jenkins. He then sold out his interest in the business and went on the road as a traveling salesman for Finzer Bros. Tobacco Works of Louisville. Becoming tired of the road he came back here and opened his present line of business in the old market house building, but five years ago removed to his present place of business. He keeps everything that is good to eat and has built up a large trade. Mr. Jenkins has been



MOSS
OF
COORSE.
No. 922 STATE STREET.
For "Goodness" Sake Eat Moss's Bread.



PROF. H. H. CHERRY.

DR. SEWELL H. FORD.

honored by being elected for sixteen years a member of the city council and his friends recognize in him splendid material for mayor and they hope some time to see him the city's chief executive. During his first term as councilman he was chairman of the Finance Committee, the second term chairman of the Grievance Committee, and the last two terms chairman of the Judiciary Committee. He is a leading Elk, a thirty-second degree Mason and both Scottish and York rite, and is one of the most active members of Bowling Green's commandery Knights Templars. He is also a Knight of Pythias and member of the Royal Arcanum. Lastly he is a jovial, whole-souled genial gentleman and has more friends than he can count.

THREE CENTS POSTAGE

Persons who desire to mail copies of this edition to any postoffice in the United States should place three cents in stamps on the wrapper for each copy contained therein.

C. D. Herdman writes fire, lightning, tornado and accident insurance.



VIEW OF POTTER COLLEGE LOOKING SOUTH ON COLLEGE STREET.

ated from the Kentucky University at Lexington. He graduated from the Kentucky School of Osteopathy in Franklin, Ky., in June, 1900, and that summer practiced in Tullahoma and Monteagle, Tenn., and from there he went to Nashville, where he remained some time. He has been practicing in this city since September of last year.

OUR "LINO" AND OPERATOR.

All the reading matter in this edition of our Twentieth Anniversary number was set on our new Duplex Linotype Machine. We are prepared to do book work, catalogue work, pamphlets, and in fact any kind of book work on short notice and at reasonable prices. We are therefore prepared to furnish proofs of jobs to our customers in a lump, thus avoiding tedious waits from day to day for one or two proofs at a time. We have an expert operator for our linotype in the person of Mr. E. C. Scott, who comes from Illinois. Mr. Scott is capable of handling any kind of work from a reading notice in the paper to a Bible or Dictionary.

Mr. Scott came to Bowling Green from Canton, Ill., where he operated a linotype machine for some twenty-two months, but on account of that city being small and the salary inadequate commensurate with the services rendered, he surrendered his position there to seek greener fields. On learning that the Times-Journal was about to place in its extensive printing establishment a linotype he entered into communication with us, with the result that his services were secured.

J. T. DOORES & CO.

On the last cover page of this edition will be found a display advertisement of J. T. Doores & Company, distillers and wholesale liquor dealers.

The firm was founded eight years ago, and the business as originally established consisted of a combined grocery and liquor trade. Two years later the grocery department was discontinued and a wholesale liquor business added.

J. T. Doores & Company handle as fine wines and liquors at as low prices as any house in the State, and their ability to meet competition has resulted in a large trade which covers a territory embraced within a radius of 100 miles around Bowling Green.

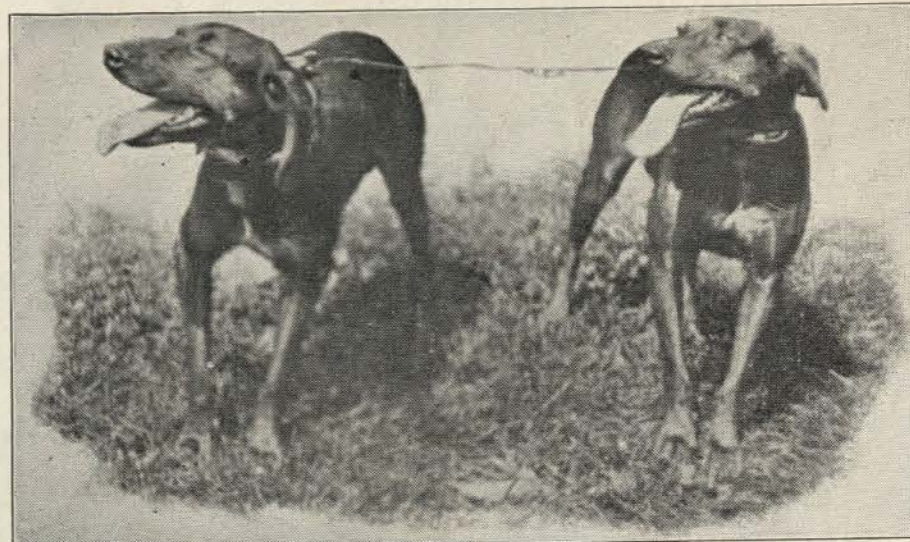
LOCAL ICE PLANT.

One of the Most Successful and Prosperous Concerns in the City.

To supply ice to a city of 12,000 people, especially during the heated term, is an undertaking of no small consideration, and requires an investment of a vast amount of capital as well as ability and experience.

The ice manufacturing plant of the Bowling Green Ice and Cold Storage Company is one of the leading manufacturing plants of the kind in this section of the State.

The Bowling Green Ice and Cold Storage Company was incorporated in 1893, and under the able management of its officers the business has increased from time to time until it



BLOODHOUNDS FRITZ AND RATTLER OWNED BY PATTESON & CURD.

gether on the artistic skill of the operator in the selection of a proper pose and light, as well as in the skillful finishing of the negative after it comes from the camera. Such a photographer, combining all these qualities, is Mr. J. T. Clark, whose gallery is located on State street over L. D. Potter & Co.'s book store.

The high grade work turned out by Mr. Clark speaks for itself. It does not require an artistic eye to distinguish the superior quality of his work. There is a richness and life like effect noticeable in all his photographs seldom seen outside the larger cities of America.



W. V. GARVIN.

became necessary last year to materially increase the capacity of the plant for turning out ice in order to meet the demand. Up to that time the capacity was fifteen tons of ice a day, and the machinery used was what is known as the Arctic type. When it became necessary to increase the capacity it was decided to put in the very latest and best machinery made, and after a thorough investigation the York type of ice manufacturing machinery was installed. This gave the company an additional capacity of twenty-five tons a day, making the total daily output of forty-eight tons. The water with which the ice is made is of the very purest to be had. It is run through several filters, and finally drawn off, after having passed through the condensing process, as pure as water can possibly be made.



R. N. WILLIAMSON.

The factory is located at the boat-landing, and in addition there is a large cold storage room attached. The output of the plant is consumed principally in this county, but a great deal of ice and is shipped to points up and down the railroad and also down the river.

The officers of the company are: James H. Wilkerson, president; Ed Smallhouse, vice-president; W. H. Jones, secretary, and C. G. Smallhouse, treasurer.

J. T. CLARK,

Who Has Built Up a Fine Business in Photography.

The production of a high-class photographic likeness depends alto-



WINONA VARSITY, OWNED BY WINONA KENNELS.

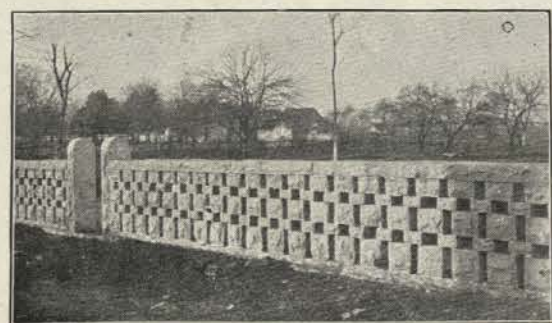
Mr. Clark came to this city about three years ago, and has built up a fine paying business in his line. He attends strictly to his own business, and while he has a number of assistants, all work turned out is under his personal supervision. His gallery is equipped with all the latest appliances necessary for the latest posing and the proper execution of work.

Any one in need of any kind of photographs will make no mistake in calling at Clark's gallery to have the work done.

DR. HUGH C. BEAZLEY.

Prominent Young Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist.

Among the younger members of the medical fraternity of Warren County who are fast gaining prominence in the profession by means of their talents and ability, is Dr. Hugh C. Beazley, who only recently located in this city. Dr. Beazley confines his practice to diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, and is gradual-



FENCE ERECTED BY T. J. SWEENEY STONE CO.

pital of New York City. Dr. Beazley is a member of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity and also of the Chapter of Tennessee Lambda. He is an associate member of the New York Academy of Medicine and a member of the Warren County Medical Society.

Dr. Beazley is one of the active workers of the Young Men's Christian Association and a member of the State Street Methodist church.

His office is located in rooms 312-314, City Hall building, and his office hours are from 9 to 12 a. m., and 2 to 5 p. m.

THE TROY LAUNDRY.

A Model Laundry That Turns Out Work Unexcelled in the State.

In these days of rush and bustle, when everything desired is to be executed in "double quick" time, and the inventive genius of man has brought to his aid all kinds of machinery that it may be so, the steam laundry nat-

urally becomes a necessity. Bowling Green is not behind in these necessities. The Troy steam laundry, of which Messrs. Sam E. and George Moseley are the proprietors, is one of the best equipped laundries in the State and the character of work turned out can not be excelled anywhere. They have recently overhauled the entire plant, discarding a great deal of the old machinery, and adding the latest and best laundry machinery to be had, so that today their laundry in completeness of outfit and every other way, will compare favorably with any in the country. Their business is already large, but is steadily increasing. The laundry gives employment to a large number of hands and all work is gathered and delivered free of charge.

The Moseley boys are among the



W. L. GRAVES.

most popular young men of the city and this fact, coupled with the high grade of work turned out, gives them a business hold which no competitor can displace.

VIRGIL GARVIN,

The Efficient County Court Clerk of Warren County.

The office of county court clerk of Warren County has been ably and faithfully filled by Mr. Virgil Garvin since his installation in January of this year. Although the duties were new to him he has "caught on" quickly and those who are in position to know say that no better or more efficient man has ever held the place. Mr. Garvin was born in the county of Hart, in this State, January 25,



R. C. POSEY.

1855. His parents moved to this county in 1865 and young Garvin attended the common schools of the county and later old Warren College. Mr. Garvin has been engaged in farming all of his life with the exception of about three years, when he and his brother, Charles Garvin, engaged in the grocery and butcher business in this city. This was in the early '90's. He received the Democratic nomination over four worthy opponents, defeating his nearest competitor by over 375 votes. There is not in all Warren County a cleaner, or more high-toned gentleman than Mr. Garvin, and no man enjoys more deservedly the esteem of the public than he. Mr. Garvin's term of office continues for four years. He succeeded W. H. Edley.

WILL V. GARVIN,

The Oldest Bookseller With the Newest and Handsomest Store in the City.

One of the prettiest, neatest and most attractive book stores in the city is that of Will V. Garvin, on State street. Mr. Garvin was born at Woodsonville, in Hart County, June 19, 1863, and came to Bowling Green when he was twelve years of age. He attended Ogden College for four years and gave up college life and took a position in the book store of T. J. Smith & Company when he was seventeen years old. He was connected with this house in different capacities for twenty years and during all these years devoted himself assiduously to his duties and became



DR. M. M. MOSS.

known to everybody in this county and section. He then went with L. D. Potter & Co. in the same line of business, remaining with them nearly six years. On the first of last May he decided to embark in business for himself and bought out the book store of Claude E. Jagoe. He went to work at once and had an extensive addition put to his store, made room for his wall paper and framing departments and now has not only one of the handsomest, but one of the most convenient book stores in the city. Mr. Garvin has actually grown up in a book store and knows the business perfectly in all its details. He is a hustler in business, is popular and well known and counts his friends by the score. He is doing splendidly in his new home and his hundreds of friends will be glad



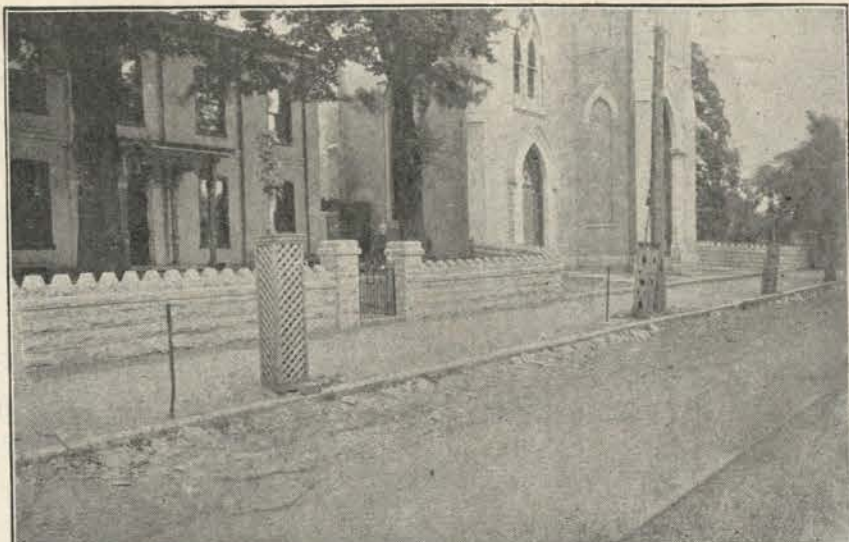
GEORGE A. SCHERER

to see him succeed, for he certainly deserves success. He has one of the largest stocks of books, stationery, wall paper, etc., in the city and his two life specialties are window shades and picture framing. You are invited to call.

W. J. POTTER.

The Well Known Young Banker and One of Our Most Prominent Citizens.

William J. Potter, the subject of this sketch, was born in Warren County in 1860 and has always resided here. He attended the county



STONE FENCE AT CATHOLIC CHURCH BUILT BY T. J. SWEENEY QUARRY CO.

schools and later Warren College, and prepared himself for a business career. Before he had attained his majority he entered the banking house of P. J. Potter & Company in this city and has been connected with that institution ever since. He, in fact, grew up in the bank and learned the business in its every detail. He has filled every position in the bank and is now the cashier of the institution. He is beyond question one of the best posted young men in the State on banks and banking, and to his keen insight into the business, and unflagging industry is to be attributed much of the success which this house, the best known and most

I. B. COOKE,

Dealer in Wines, Liquors and Sporting Goods.

The gentleman whose name heads this sketch has spent almost his entire life in this city. He attended Warren College and when this institution was closed Mr. Cooke accepted the position of deputy circuit court clerk, under Mr. Jas. D. Hines. He continued in this service for several years until he was elected city tax collector. At the end of his term he entered the service of the Adams Express Company, and by attention to his duties and exceptional merit



A PRETTY CORNER IN RESIDENCE OF A. DUVAL.

stable institution of the kind in the South, has achieved.

Personally, Mr. Potter is noted for his geniality and friendly spirit and he makes friends of all with whom he is thrown. He has always taken a decided interest in the welfare of Bowling Green and Warren County, and is a public spirited, progressive citizen. Mr. Potter is married and lives in one of the handsomest residences about the city. His residence is located just beyond the suburbs on the L. & N. pike, a cut of which appears in this edition.

won promotion from time to time and when he severed his relations with the company he held the position of local agent. Altogether he was in the express business fifteen years. In October, 1896, he formed a partnership with Mr. Henry T. Hagerman, and they purchased the liquor and sporting goods business of Mr. T. C. Mitchell. This partnership was dissolved by mutual consent in February of this year, Mr. Hagerman having been selected to fill the office of warden at the Eddyville penitentiary.

The same line of business has been



T. L. JENKINS & SON'S LIVERY STABLE.

carried on in the store now occupied by Mr. Cooke, at 922 State street, for over forty years. The house enjoys a splendid patronage and is conducted in first-class style.

He carries in stock a complete line of whiskies, wines, brandies, bottled beer and mineral waters of all kinds. Mr. Cooke makes a specialty of shipping liquors in jugs. A full line of sporting goods of all kinds, including guns, pistols, ammunition, fishing tackle, hunting and bathing suits, are also carried in stock.

T. J. DAUGHTRY.

One of the Oldest and Best Known Grocers of the City.

One of the oldest and best known grocery men of the city is Mr. T. J.



LON DODD.

Daughtry, whose place of business is in the opera house building on Main street. Mr. Daughtry was born in Gallatin, Tenn., in 1856. Like many of the most successful business men of today Mr. Daughtry received only a common school education and early in life devoted himself to business pursuits. He came to this city in 1866 with his step-father, Mr. J. D. Tracey, who will be remembered by many of our older citizens.

Mr. Daughtry was trained up in the grocery business, having clerked for his brother, W. G. Daughtry, for seventeen years before going into business on his own account.

He opened his store at the stand in which he is now doing business in 1893, and has made it a success from the beginning. He carries a complete line of staple and fancy grocer-



W. C. HALL.

ies. There is not a man in the city who gives his business closer attention or who strives harder to please his customers, and that his methods are appreciated by the people is attested by the large patronage he enjoys. Mr. Daughtry is an active member of the A. O. U. W. lodge.

"Save your money and buy a home" is a very poor maxim. The proper way to do is to buy your home and then save your money and pay for it. C. D. Herdman sells all kinds of property on easy terms.

Warren county has six banks, all in sound, fine condition.



P. C. JESSE.
MISS TOPMILLER

And Her Splendid Success as Manager of the Favorite Ice and Coal Company.

One of the most prominent business institutions of the city is the Favorite Ice and Coal Company. Since the beginning it has met with abundant success and it is gratifying to us to be able to say that the manager of the company is a woman—Miss Kate B. Topmiller, who is the brains and executive manager of the whole concern. The success she has achieved is a flat contradiction of the oft-heard statement that a woman can not achieve success in a business way. Miss Topmiller came here from Cincinnati in 1892 and first located at the old Bewley ice factory, but two years later built the office and shop the company is now occupying. This company does perhaps the largest business of its kind of any concern in Southern Kentucky. They virtually supply Bowling Green with ice and handle almost the entire output of the ice manufactured by the Bowling Green Ice and Cold Storage Company. They not only keep the people cool by supplying them with ice in the summer, but what is better still keep them warm in winter by furnishing them with coal, for they are extensive coal as well as ice dealers. They are the exclusive agents here for the renowned Jintown coal, and also handle the Western Kentucky and Jellico coals. They are fully equipped for the transaction of their large business, having fourteen wagons and teams in constant use and employing from twenty to twenty-two men. And it may be said that all these men and wagons are kept constantly busy in order to carry on the trade of the firm. Besides holding several other large contracts they were recently awarded the contract for furnishing the city with its entire supply of coal. Their main office is located on Potter street, near the car line, and for the convenience of their many patrons they also have an up-town office on the public square, at the store of H. D. Graham. The Jintown coal, which they handle so extensively and is so popular with the trade, is brought up from Green River in barges and unloaded at their wharf at the foot of the boat landing pike. The Jellico and Kentucky coals



GEORGE A. WALLACE.

are brought in by rail and unloaded on their track at the Main office. The company certainly handles more coal than any other firm in Bowling Green and more perhaps than any firm in this part of the State. Through the business sagacity, care and industry of the manager, Miss Topmiller, the business has grown from a small beginning to its present large proportions. Miss Topmiller is well known to our people and exceedingly popular, and certainly deserves the greatest credit for the splendid success she has achieved in a business way and for the important enterprise she has built up mainly through her personal efforts.

NEW POTTER HOUSE.

The Best Dollar-a-Day House in the County.

This popular hotel was taken charge of ten years ago by Mr. E. Watkins, and under his able management, assisted by his estimable wife, the business has grown to large proportions and they now enjoy as fine



DR. SEWELL H. FORD.

a reputation for excellence of service as any of the higher priced hotels of the city. Until about four years ago only the second and third floors of the three-story building, at the corner of Main and College streets, was occupied by the hotel, but on account of the increase of patronage they were forced to rent additional room, and the ground floor was secured and fitted up for office, dining room and kitchen. The house has twenty-four well-lighted and airy bed rooms and the large dining hall has a seating capacity for sixty people. The rates are from \$1.00 to \$1.25 a day.

Mr. Watkins was born and raised near Upton, Ky., and was engaged in farming there before coming here fourteen years ago last February. Before taking charge of the new Potter House he conducted the Grand Central Hotel, now the Mansard.

J. L. JENKINS & SON,

Proprietors of Mammoth Livery, Feed and Sale Stables.

One of the oldest and most reliable livery firms of the city is that of J. L. Jenkins & Son, who conduct the mammoth stables at Nos. 801-807 College street. The building devoted to the business is 105x210 feet, and is the most complete in all its appointments of any similar one in the city. It was built especially for the business. The livery department of the stable is complete and up-to-date in every way, and they make it a point to please their patrons in the class of rigs and turnouts furnished. The firm deals largely in fancy saddle and harness horses, and do a big business in this line. They ship principally to the eastern and southern markets.

Mr. J. L. Jenkins has been in the livery business for over eighteen years and has been remarkably successful. He is quite a large owner of farm property. He has lately purchased the fine farm known as the old Warner Underwood place, and is now making his home there. It is located about one and a half miles from town, just off the cemetery pike, decidedly the best driveway in the county. There are six hundred acres in the farm, about 550 being under cultivation. The farm is located

on Barren river and is composed principally of land classed as bottom and second bottom land, which for richness can not be excelled anywhere in the county. There is a splendid two-story residence, beautifully located on a slight elevation, and from which a fine view of the surrounding county may be had. The building has ten rooms, all conveniently arranged. There are three good barns and other outbuildings. No farm in the county has better water for stock or drinking purposes. The river furnishes all the stock water necessary. There are a good well and two fine cisterns near the residence, which furnish a liberal supply of the very best water for drinking.

The firm of J. L. Jenkins & Son has been located at the present stand for over six years. The junior member of the firm, Mr. Allen Jenkins, is one of the best known and most popular young business men of the city. He has been in the livery business with his father almost from his youth up, and understands it thoroughly.

A QUARRY COMPANY

That Has Built Up a Big Business in a Very Short Time.

A young and growing and substantial enterprise of this county, which this edition would be incomplete without mentioning, is the T. J. Sweeney Quarry Company. The company was organized on January 29, 1901, and its stockholders are among our best and most prominent citizens. They are T. J. Sweeney, Hon. John M. Wilkins, W. F. Ennis and J. Arch Wilkins. John M. Wilkins is president of the company while W. F. Ennis and J. Arch Wilkins are the managers. The quarry is situated only three miles west of Bowling Green, on the Morgantown pike, which gives them a convenient market for all the stone they get. The stone is a hard, blue oolitic limestone and is used for a number of purposes. The company has taken and filled a number of contracts for the city, and many of our splendid streets show the stone from this quarry. For curbing streets it is unsurpassed by any stone in the world and is very much



FRANK L. KISTER, JR.

in demand for this purpose. It can not be excelled, either for paving, gutting, crossings, sills, lintels, steps and water tables and dimension stone and in this line of work the company does a big business. They also make a specialty of stone fences and put up a block stone fence that for beauty and durability can not be equaled anywhere. This fence is not only lasting, but ornamental and there has grown up a big demand for them. In several of the cuts in this edition will be seen pictures of this fence, to which your attention is directed. It will be seen in the cuts of the C. P. church, Dr. John E. Gray's residence, the rectory of St. Joseph church and the residence of W. J. Potter. This stone is weather proof and the frost does not hurt it or make it crack and its durability and beauty have given it a widespread reputation. Since beginning operations the company has met with substantial and constantly increasing success and has grown into one of our most important enterprises. The members of the firm are all noted for their business sagacity and are besides well known and popular



CHAS. FLEMING.

and stand high in the commercial life of the county. They richly deserve the success with which they are meeting and their many friends hope to see their business grow to still more formidable proportions.

R. E. COOKSEY & SON.

Oldest Saddle and Harness House in the County.

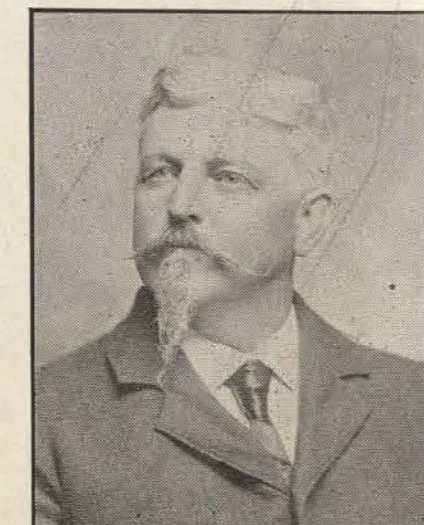
The oldest and most substantial saddle and harness establishment in Warren County is that of R. E. Cooksey & Son, whose place of business is located at No. 928 State street. The firm is composed of R. E. and W. C. Cooksey.

About fourteen years ago Mr. R. E. Cooksey, who all his life previous to that time had engaged in farming, came to this city and purchased a half interest in the saddlery and harness business of Richard Daughtry. At Mr. Daughtry's death his son succeeded to his interest in the business. About three years ago Mr. W. C. Cooksey bought out Mr. Daughtry's interest and since then the style of the firm has been as above. They carry an immense stock of everything necessary in the proper conduct of a first-class house of this kind and manufacture all kinds of leather goods from a hame-strap up to a set of harness or a saddle. Since the new firm began the business has been more than doubled, and the firm has now branched out and is doing an extensive wholesale business. In their mechanical department they employ only the most skilled workmen, and their superintendent, Mr. Frank Tuttle, is one of the finest workmen in his line in the county. They also handle a large line of pleasure vehicles of all kinds. Both members of the firm were born and have lived in this county all their lives and are widely known and honored and respected by all.

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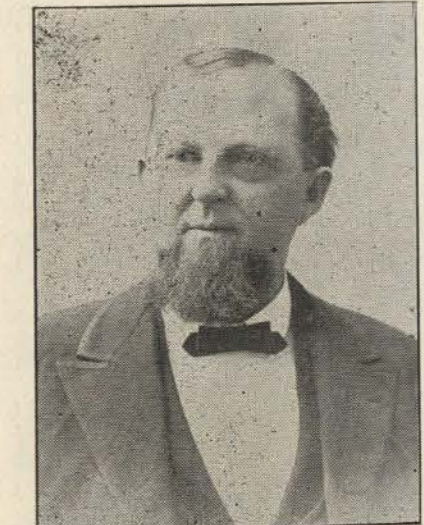
THE ASPHALT INDUSTRY.

What the Green River Asphalt Company is Doing.

Of the manufacturing or other enterprises of which this city can boast, none is of greater magnitude or importance than the Green River Asphalt Company, which has been doing business for the past year in this city and county. This company was organized about three years ago and is composed entirely of eastern and western capital. The officers of the company are: President, G. G. Sutherland, of St. Louis; first vice-president, R. W. Speir, New York; second vice-president, C. M. Burton, St. Louis; treasurer, R. E. Annin, New York. Their general offices are located in St. Louis. The company is incorporated under the laws of the State of Missouri with a capital stock of \$250,000. They commenced operations in the counties of Butler and Warren in August of 1899, since which date they have opened three quarries, two of which are situated three-quarters of a mile from the river, near Young's Ferry. The third is located one mile below these, one-half mile from the river. Until about three months ago the crushing machinery and plant were located at the quarries, but on account of the difficulty of reaching the markets with the product it was decided to move the plant to this city, and accordingly the old plant has been dismantled and a new and more up-to-date one has been erected in this city.

The plant in this city is situated on Barren river at the terminus of the Portage railroad on property leased from Mr. J. S. Perkins. The material is unloaded from the barges by means of an aerial conveyor constructed by the S. Flory Manufacturing Company, of Bangor, Pa., and has a capacity of 300 tons per day. The plant is so arranged that the asphalt rock can be unloaded from the barges, passed through the crusher and pulverized and then conveyed to cars without rehandling. When not shipping, the rock may be dropped under the conveyor in partitions, which are used as receptacles for same. The engine used in running the machinery is a 75-horse power.

An average of about one hundred men are employed at the quarries



DR. JOHN H. MALLORY.

and in this city, thus distributing thousands of dollars annually among our people. The product of this company is used entirely for street paving, a large amount of it having been used in Louisville, Evansville, Mobile and other cities, and the business is continually increasing. This asphalt whenever brought in competition takes the lead and under the able management of this company the business will no doubt reach immense proportions.

R. W. ASPLEY & COMPANY.

A Big Coal Concern Which Handles the Famous West Aberdeen.

There is no more important enterprise in Bowling Green than that of R. W. Aspley & Company, the coal dealers. They handle the celebrated and much-sought Aberdeen coal and take the output of those mines, which they put upon the market here. They are the sole agents for this coal in this city and it can be procured only through them. They also handle some of the old Aberdeen coal formerly mined and sold here by R. M. Wilford & Company. The firm is composed of R. W. Aspley and E. P. Aspley, both of whom have been in the coal business for years and understand it in all its details. They are both popular and well known gentlemen, noted for their splendid business capacity and their courteous treatment of their patrons and the fair dealing they mete out to everybody. The firm began business in August, 1897. Up to this time the West Aberdeen people had a manager here, but they were succeeded by the present firm. The active manager of the present firm's business is R. W. Aspley. The firm's elevator is at the river, below the foot of Church street, and their yards are near the railroad elevator. They have an up-town office with Thomas Polard & Company, the insurance men, on State street, where orders for coal can be left at any time. They make a specialty of filling all orders promptly and deliver coal to any part of the city. Their coal is the best domestic coal, calling everything into



DR. HUGH C. BEAZLEY.

consideration, that is on the market, and this is what has given it such widespread popularity in Bowling Green.

They give special prices on their coal during the months of July, August and September, and it will pay you to have your coal houses filled during these months, so as to be ready for winter. The telephone at the yards is 213 and if you are wise and want to save money you will ring them up and have your coal house filled these hot days while you can get it done at a reduced price. It saves you both money and trouble.

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MAX B. NAHM,

One of Bowling Green's Most Progressive and Enterprising Citizens.

It would indeed be a difficult task to find a man in the city of Bowling Green who could more acceptably serve the people in the capacity of a public servant than Mr. Max B. Nahm, than whom no citizen has the city's welfare more at heart. He is at present a member of the board of councilmen, and no better man could have been selected for the place. He is chairman of the finance and judiciary committees.

Mr. Nahm was born in this city in 1864. He attended the schools of the city and later matriculated in Ogden College, from which institution he graduated with honor, in 1883. He then attended Princeton University and after two years received a graduating diploma from this world-famous institution.

Returning to this city he read law for over a year with Wright & McEl-



H. L. COOK.

roy. In 1887 he entered the clothing store of which his venerable father, E. Nahm, was at the head. In 1888 Mr. Joe Marx, who was a member of the firm, retired and Mr. Nahm succeeded him, acquiring an interest in the business. The senior member of the firm, Mr. E. Nahm, died in 1892 and since then Mr. Nahm has had the control of the business, which has been marvelously successful under his direction until today the store of E. Nahm & Co. is the largest clothing and gent's furnishing house in Southern Kentucky.

Mr. Nahm is quite prominent in secret society circles. He was last year Master of the local Masonic lodge, and has just retired from the highest chair in the A. O. U. W. lodge. He is also a member of lodge No. 320, B. P. O. E.

Mr. Nahm is a member of the board of trustees of Ogden College, of Potter College and also of the Southern Normal School. He is a director of the Citizens' National bank; vice-president of the Green River Mining Company; president of the board of trade; president of the Calendar Club; treasurer of the Commercial Club, and president of the Ogden Alumni Association.

A. GREENSPAN,

One of the Proprietors of the Popular "Bazaar" Store.

Mr. A. Greenspan, the junior member of the well-known and hustling firm of L. Greenspan & Bro., proprietors of the Park Row dry goods and clothing house, known as the "Bazaar," was born in Austria, Hungary. Before he had attained his majority he immigrated with his brother to this country to seek his fortune. They located in Nashville, where they were engaged in business for a number of years, and in 1894 they came to this city and opened what is now one of the largest and most popular dry goods houses in the city, known as the "Bazaar." In March, 1900, Mr. L. Greenspan went to Nashville and embarked in the wholesale dry goods and notion business. Mr. A. Greenspan has had the exclusive management of the business since his brother



M. B. NAHM.

er went to Nashville, and in January, 1901, he bought an interest in the business. Under his management the firm's trade has increased wonderfully and they now have a fine patronage as any house in the city. Personally Mr. Greenspan is an affable gentleman, of pleasing address, and possesses many pleasant ways that have made him popular with all with whom he has come in contact. He is a member of the Elks, the Masons and A. O. U. W. lodges. He is now Master Workman of the last named lodge, the highest office in that organization.

PORTER & ELLIS,

Dealers in Farm Implements of All Kinds.

Among the most successful and enterprising firms of the city is that of Porter & Ellis, the well-known implement dealers. Their place of business is located on Tenth street, just opposite the court house. They have an immense establishment, covering three floors, and their place is crowded with farm implements of all kinds, including wagons, buggies, saw mills, engines, threshers, feed mills, wind mills, etc. They have as complete a stock of everything in their line as can be found in any similar establishment in the county, and their prices are always as low as the lowest. The individual members of the firm are Elvis H. Porter and Sam E. Ellis, both fine business men, and upright, clever gentlemen, who may be relied upon in every instance.

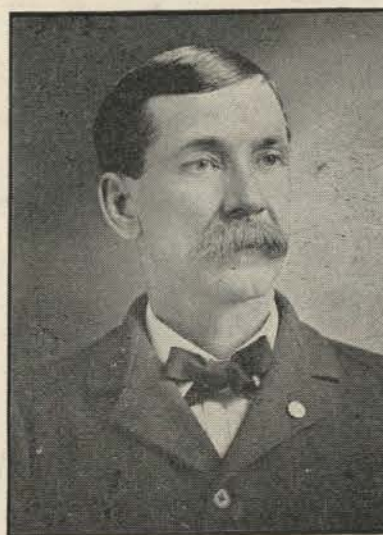
Our Photographers.

The majority of photographs from which the half-tone cuts in this edition were made are the work of Messrs. H. L. Cook, the College street photographer, and Mr. J. T. Clark, whose gallery is on State street. They do as high-class work as any photographers in the country and the citizens of Bowling Green are to be congratulated on having two such splendid artists in the community.

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Dealers in All Kinds of Drugs, Toilet Articles, Etc.

One of the neatest, coziest and best-stocked drug houses in the city is that conducted by Messrs. Aull & Freeman, in the opera house building, at the corner of Main and College streets.

Dr. T. H. Aull, the senior member of the firm, was born in Ohio County, Ky., in 1866. When yet quite young he started in to learn the drug business. He located in Auburn about twelve years ago and engaged in the business on his own account.

The junior member, Dr. R. M. Freeman, was born and raised in Auburn. He has been in the drug business here in Dr. Aull's store at Auburn.

They came to this city about five years ago and forming a partnership bought out the drug store of Dr. Turner, which was then located on State street. Three years later they moved to their present quarters. They enjoy a large patronage and both members of the firm being registered pharmacists, they make a specialty of filling prescriptions and nothing but the purest drugs are used. Aside from the usual line of drugs they carry a large assortment of perfumes, toilet articles, stationery, fancy goods, cigars, etc. They also have an elegant soda fountain and cooling drinks of all kinds are dispensed during the summer months.

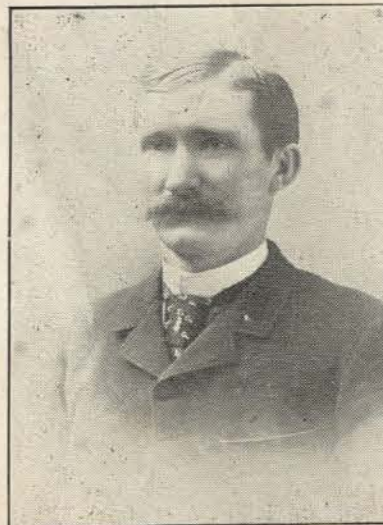
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Mr. Pillsbury writes insurance in both the city and county and that his agency is a popular one is best evidenced by the large amount of insurance written by him.

DR. E. T. BARR.

Prominent Dentist and Member of City Council.

Efficiently representing the dental profession in Bowling Green Dr. E. T. Barr presents not only the natural adaptability and ingenuity, but has that practical experience which guarantees the perfect execution of every description of dental work. His parlors are located on Main street, up stairs over A. Duvall's millinery store, and are models of neatness, being handsomely furnished and equipped with all the very latest appliances for the proper execution of work of all kinds in the most approved manner.

Dr. Barr has had twenty-three years experience in the profession and that he thoroughly understands it in all its branches is attested by the large number of the best people of the county who will entrust work on their teeth to no other dentist.

Dr. Barr has recently been honored by his fellow citizens by being elected a member of the city council, and is one of the most active members of that body. The doctor is prominent in social, church and secret society circles. He is a member of the local lodges of Elks and



PROF. EDWARD TAYLOR.

the Odd Fellows. He has for some time served as a deacon of the Presbyterian church of this city, of which he is an active member.

Personally, Dr. Barr is an affable gentleman, of pleasant address, and enjoys a large acquaintanceship among the older as well as younger class of people of the city and county.

DR. JAMES O. CARSON.

Bowling Green's Leading Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose Specialist.

Dr. James O. Carson comes of a family of Scotch-Irish extraction, which, together with the related families of Porter and Hines, came as pioneers to Kentucky from Virginia soon after the war of the Revolution.

Dr. Carson was born in Warren County in 1855. After the war he moved to this city where he graduated from Warren College in 1876.

After working for three years in Mallory's drug store he read medicine with Dr. R. C. Thomas and subsequently graduated from the Medical department of the University of Louisville. Returning to Bowling Green he was engaged in general practice for ten years; after which he took a special course in the Polyclinic of New York City, where he fitted himself to treat diseases of the eye, ear, throat and nose. He has now devoted himself exclusively to this branch for about fifteen years, during which time he has made several trips to New York for further study and to keep in touch with all new developments along his line.

Studying first as druggist, then as general practitioner, and later as specialist, Dr. Carson has had an unusually thorough training for his work. If he doesn't know anything about it he ought to.

In 1892 he was married to Miss Margaret Poindexter, of this city.

Dr. Carson is a Mason and an Elk. When he isn't treating patients he works for the Elks' carnival or is trying to get somebody else to join the "best people on earth."

His office is located on the second floor over Graham's shoe store, on the Main street side of the public square.

The doctor has recently completed a handsome two-story residence, of which we are permitted to produce a splendid half-tone photo engraving in this issue, and also an interior view of his residence.

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PROF. T. T. GARDNER.

Main and Clay streets and are well equipped for the successful prosecution of the business, having track facilities into the yard.

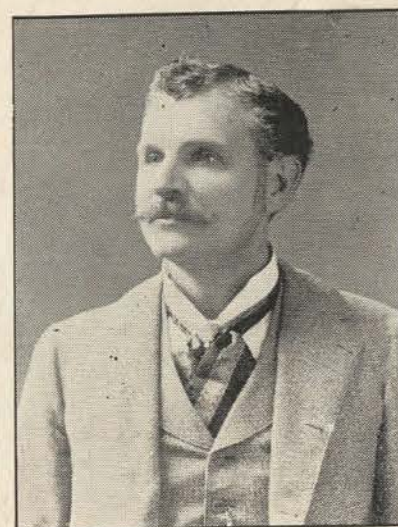
The business has been successfully conducted for the past ten years and its operations continue to grow yearly. The firm is composed of W. L. Constance and W. W. Peete, two well-known and prosperous business men, and men, too, in perfect harmony with every movement of progress relative to the city. They enjoy the fullest confidence of the public because of their honorable business methods and liberal dealings. They will be pleased to serve the public at any time. Telephone 80.

W. C. HALL.

Warren County's Popular Assessor.

The office of assessor of the county of Warren is a most important one, and is being most acceptably filled by Mr. W. C. Hall, who was elected to that position last fall and his term of office runs four years.

Mr. Hall was born in this county Nov. 6, 1858, and has resided here all his life. Most of his life he has lived on a farm. His education was received in the common schools of the county and at Warren College. In 1878 he was married to Miss Katie Smith, of Russellville, Ky., and the fruits of this union are three children—Helen, Maymie Lou and Joe—all of whom are living. Mr. Hall and his estimable family reside on a farm about three miles south of Smith's Grove, where he is engaged in farming and stock raising. His duties on the farm do not interfere in any way



W. F. TOOPS.

with his work as county assessor and he is making one of the best and most painstaking officials the county has ever had. He is a Democrat, dyed-in-the-wool, and no man stands higher in the community than he.

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The art of paper hanging requires years of experience and study in order to bring out the best results, and in having work of this kind done it is always

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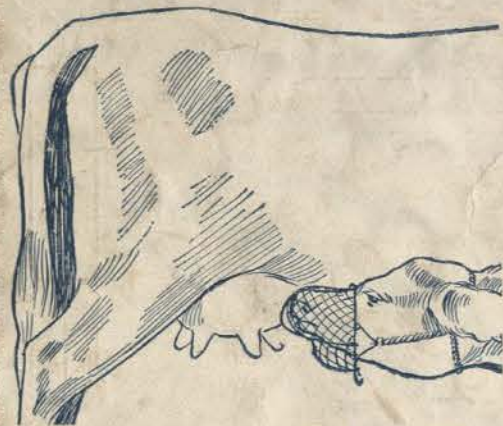
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