

# Whatever You Do, Do Now

Buy Combination Hose and Ties for Xmas gifts. Buy sensible gifts. Extra sales folks to wait upon you. You have no idea what compliments the women are paying us on our

## Gifts For Men and Boys

They say we have the most beautiful Neckwear in town. Open every day and night excepting Sunday.

**Geo. H. Frank & Co.**  
Maysville's Foremost Clothiers.

**PUBLIC LEADER**  
MAYSVILLE, KY.

K. of P. Figures

According to the latest figures the Subordinate Lodges of the Knights of Pythias in Kentucky own property worth \$175,000. This places Kentucky seventh in the list of States in the Union in point of property owned by Subordinate Lodges, and shows the Order in this State to be very strong, ranking one step ahead of New York State, which has \$170,000 worth of Knights of Pythias property and ahead of every State in the South in point of property held except Louisiana, which has \$225,000 worth.

### SLAVE PENSIONS

**Kentucky Legislature Legalized  
Slave Marriages Which Helps  
Negroes**

Shortly after the War the Kentucky Legislature passed an act allowing all slaves who had married in bondage to go before the County Clerk and make a declaration, thereby legitimating their marriage and issue. Owing to ignorance this was done in but a few instances, the consequences being that the Pension Bureau turned down all widows' and orphans' pension claims.

At the last session of the Kentucky Legislature Senator Bradley prepared a bill which was put through both Houses by State Senator Cureton of Louisville, making the customary slave marriages legitimate. They were usually performed without license.

The Pension Bureau has ruled that it can now consider any claims which may be filed since the act of the Legislature went into effect last July.

All claims that were filed before that date must be refilled.

There are several hundred cases in the State of Negro soldiers whose descendants will be pensionable under the ruling of the Pension Bureau.

### COUNTRY PRODUCE

Maysville's Market Quotations for Today.

Following are this morning's quotations on country produce, telephoned at 9 o'clock by E. L. Munchester, Manager of the Keystone Commercials Company:

Eggs, per dozen	70c
Butter	16c
Turkeys	15c
Hens, 9 D.	8c
Springers	5c
Old Roosters	5c
Ducks	10c
Habits, doz.	75c

The retail grocers pay 25c for eggs, 16c and 7c for butter.

# F. O. Stone Bakes CAKES

For us all, on you need not worry about your FRUIT CAKE. Leave your order with us in time and we will furnish them at 30c each. No orders taken after December 21st.

Quality Grocers.

J. C. CABLISH & BRO.

## BURLEY MEETING

Growers of Bluegrass Section Will  
Take Action Next Monday on  
Tobacco Situation

This Morning's Lexington Herald.

It was learned that the list of signers to the call for the meeting to be held in Lexington on Monday, December 19th, includes many of the most prominent and substantial farmers and tobacco growers in the counties of Fayette, Madison, Woodford, Jessamine, Mercer, Bath and Owen, and that on account of what was stated to be the discouraging and ruinous prices now prevailing, as well as the equally gloomy prospect in store for them in the future, they have been prompted to take this step and hold a meeting of all the tobacco growers for the purpose of getting together on some common ground and working out a plan for their mutual self-protection.

Judging from the general dissatisfaction apparently prevailing among all the tobacco growers on account of the treatment received by them at the hands of the American Tobacco

Company in withdrawing their buyers from the field and immediately crashing prices as soon as the pool of the Burley Society was dissolved, this meeting promises to be largely attended and probably means a uniting of all the tobacco growing interests in the Burley Tobacco District.

"Judge, he threatened to send me home, C. O. D.," said Mrs. Henrietta Hallix in testifying against her husband in the Covington Police Court Wednesday morning.



MAYSVILLE BRIS No. 1564, F. O. E. will meet at Wilson Building, Second street, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting Eagles invited.

JOHN RONAN, W. P. William Kinsler, Secretary.

# WHAT WILL YOU GIVE



What will you give for Christmas? Gifts you must make, and there's wondrous advantage in giving gifts sure of appreciation. At the Frederick Pharmacy you can get the very present you want at the price you want to pay. Here are some suggestions:

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| Toilet Cases.    | Fancy Candy.                    |
| Manicure Sets.   | Military Sets.                  |
| Xmas Stationery. | Fountain Pens.                  |
| Shaving Sets.    | Hair Brushes.                   |
| Perfumes.        | Hand-Painted China.             |
|                  | Merschbaum Pipes.               |
|                  | French Briars, in case and out. |
|                  | Ladies' Hand Bags.              |

## Everything is New

Better goods we never had before. Make it a point to come now.

# Frederick Pharmacy,

Maysville's Original Cut-Rate Drugstore,

'Phone 161. West Second Street.

Three Saving Graces  
Guaranteed by Underfeed  
Furnaces and Boilers

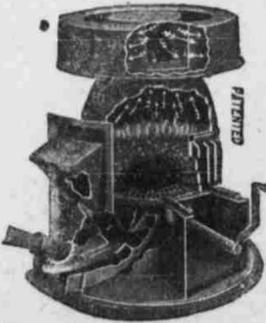
MONEY  
TIME  
LABOR

The Underfeed Heating Systems have enabled thousands of users in all parts of Uncle Sam's broad domain to

SAVE 1/2 TO 3/4 OF COAL BILLS

This is well worth anybody's careful attention in these days when the high cost of living is such an important factor.

## THE PECK-WILLIAMSON UNDERFEED FURNACES AND BOILERS



Effecting a great saving because they are the only heating plants which will burn the cheapest grades of coal successfully. Low-priced slack will yield as much clean, even heat in the Underfeed as costlier anthracite which topends require. The Underfeed Coal Burning Way is endorsed by all great municipalities as Best for Health. It saves at every point because smoke and gases are consumed and turned into heat units. Ashes are few and the apparatus is easy to manage and operate. Used and endorsed by many Maysville citizens. Write for free booklet and facsimile testimonials today and learn how you can secure more clean, even heat for less money.

THE WILLIAMSON CO.,  
PECK-CINCINNATI, OHIO.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for anyone that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
Sold by all Druggists, etc.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

# Laxative Phospho Quinine

Greatly superior to sulphate quinine for colds, coughs, grip, neuralgia and headaches resulting from colds. Cures quicker and safer than other so-called grip cures. Money refunded if not satisfied after using. Sold only by

## JOHN C. PECOR

Maysville, Ky.

### People's Column

No Charge! Advertisements under the headings of "Help Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding three lines in length, are FREE to all.

No Business Advertisements inserted without pay.

If answers fail to come the first time, we invite as many repetitions as are necessary to secure what you desire for. We wish advertisers to feel that they are not imposing on us by using our free columns.

SEE ADVERTISERS MUST FURNISH COPY, WHICH CAN BE LEFT AT THE OFFICE OR SENT BY MAIL.

### Wanted.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

WANTED—STEADY POSITION—By a married man who is an experienced salesman and can give good references; positively sober and industrious. For particulars write Box 778, Maysville, Ky. de10 1w

WANTED—I want to invest several hundred dollars with services in good paying office, store or other business in Maysville. Address CHARLES MARLOWE, P. O. Box 494, Maysville, Ky. de15 10c

WANTED—HELP—Colored, permanent employment. Must be able to read and write. Apply to W. W. WYCOFF, Agent C. and O. Railway. de14 1w

WANTED—SERVANT—A good reliable servant. Apply to Mrs. J. H. DODSON. de12 1w

WANTED—BOARDERS—First floor furnished front room, suitable for man and wife. Board by week and by meals. Mrs. CHARLES FREDERICK, 317 Cherry street. de10 1w

### For Sale

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR SALE—PIANO—Square piano, cheap. Apply to S. O. PORTER, at Thompson & McAtee's. de13 3c

FOR SALE—A seven-room frame dwelling house, with barn, stable and sheds; also double frame house in yard. All the improvements. Two acres of ground, more or less, all in the center of Washington, in this county. Will sell at a great bargain. Apply to JOHN RYAN, 326 E. Fourth street, Maysville, Ky. de8 10c

FOR SALE—TOBACCO STICKS—From 6,000 to 10,000 hand-split, hard wood, tobacco sticks. Apply to B. W. ANDERSON, MELBOURNE, KY.

### Lost

Advertisements under this heading inserted free, but advertisers must furnish the copy.

LOST—BELT—White belt and Canadian belt pin. If found please return to this office. Lost between 208 W. Second street and Postoffice. de14 1w

STRAYED—SOW—Light red sow, almost white, weight about 275 lbs. If found please notify ROBERT K. ALLISON, Maysville, Ky., R. D. No. 4. de12 1w

LOST—BASKET—A wire delivery basket. Reward if returned to SCHWARTZ meat store. de10 1w

### Found

Advertisements under this heading inserted free, but advertisers must furnish the copy.

FOUND—GOLD BROOCH—With initials. Owner please call at J. J. WOOD'S DRUG STORE and prove same. de10 1w

THE LEDGER leads in all, and is the favorite paper of the people.

# Useful Holiday PRESENTS

FOR HIM.

- Mufflers.
- Handkerchiefs.
- Socks in lovely boxes.
- Silk Socks at 50c and \$1.
- Necktie Box.
- Collar and Cuff Boxes.
- Shaving Mirror.
- Shaving Set.
- Initial Handkerchiefs.
- Silk Handkerchiefs.

Embroidered Scarfs and Table Covers in great variety.  
Hattenberg Work of all kinds and size.  
Shirtwaist Patterns in all weights, qualities and prices.  
Largest stock of Ribbons ever shown in Maysville.

## OF COURSE, YOUR KID GLOVES CAME FROM HOEFLICH'S.

Best in quality, largest assortment. Towels, Table Linens, Napkins, Rugs, Curtains, Blankets, Comforts and other household goods in great variety, always useful and most acceptable of presents.

**ROBERT L. HOEFLICH,** 211 and 213 Market Street.

Sole Agent **The Big 4.**  
Serosis Skirts,  
Pony Stockings,  
American Lady Corsets,  
Standard Patterns.

# FAMOUS PAINTINGS of FAMOUS ARTISTS

Namely, "Madonna," "The Bridal Song," "Sweet Melody," "A Fall Morning," "Companions," "Storm at Sea" and portrait of Rembrandt. The pictures are framed, ready for hanging, in a beautifully ornamented, artistic Roman gold frame. Positively the best we have ever offered you. PICTURE FRAMING A SPECIALTY.

## CRANE & SHAFER,

COX BUILDING. 'PHONE 452.

# THE STATE NATIONAL BANK

MAYSVILLE, KY.

Capital . . . . . \$100,000  
Surplus and Profits . . . . \$30,000

Designated Depository for the U. S. Treasury, State of Kentucky and Mason County.

SOLICITS A SHARE OF YOUR BUSINESS.

Conservative. Courteous. Safe.

# Comfort and Style!

That is what you want in an Overcoat. You wouldn't be comfortable in it if it wasn't stylish. You want the kind made only by Hart, Schaffner & Marx and sold in this town only by J. WESLEY LEE, because the styles are right and the comfort of all-wool is in them. When in selecting your Overcoat don't fail to get a pair of the best Shoes ever sold for the money. Every pair guaranteed. The Suits are unusually snappy this fall—new weaves and good models. New Neckwear and Silk Hosiery now in for the Christmas trade, and many other articles suitable for gifts.

## J. Wesley Lee,

The Good Clothes Man. N. E. Corner Market and Second Streets.

**EDWIN MATTHEWS** JOHN W. PORTER,  
DENTIST. FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

Office 4, First National Bank Building MAYSVILLE, KY.  
Local and Long Distance Phone No. 127. 17 East Second St., MAYSVILLE, KY.

# RUBBERS and FELTS

Fresh Goods Direct From the Factory in Carload Lots

Retailing at Wholesale Prices at

# DAN COHEN'S.

W. H. MEANS,  
MANAGER.

W. H. MEANS' DRY-FEET SHOES KEEP YOUR FEET DRY.