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## ORFILO D'HAVEN DROWNED FRIDAY.

Sad Death of Cloverport Citizen—Member of One of the Oldest Families in This City.

### ACCIDENT A GREAT SHOCK.

Orfilo DeHaven was accidentally drowned December 16, while attempting to cross a stream of water near his home, "Bon Haven Ranch." He was returning home from Cloverport when the accident happened. The continued rain that day had caused the stream to swell, and in an attempt to get across, seeing the danger of his horses and in an effort to save them, lost his life. The four horses were drowned with him. A search for his body was kept up all night. At ten o'clock the next morning his body was found.

Mr. DeHaven was born in Cloverport in 1864, and married to Miss Sallie Pumphrey, of Holt, December 23, 1890. For eight years he served as town marshal for this city, and was in the Internal Revenue service at Owensboro for some time. He was an intelligent and pleasant man and had many friends.

The deceased is survived by his widow, three brothers, Wickliffe DeHaven and Carl DeHaven, of Cloverport; Dr. Fred DeHaven, of Louisville, and one sister, Mrs. Wm. Martin, of Greenville, Ky.

The funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at the home of Wickliffe DeHaven on the hill, by the Rev. Paul S. Powell. The pall bearers were: Fred Furrow, Chas. Keil, J. D. Seaton, Harold Jones, Richard Newman and Gordon McGavock. The burial took place in the Cloverport cemetery.

### Horses Drowned.

Mr. DeHaven's four horses were drowned. Harold Walker was with him and the young man was saved. Mr. DeHaven strained every effort to save the horses. His devotion to dumb animals was one of his chief characteristics. His last trip to Cloverport was one of interest to those who saw him. His fine horses and covered wagon attracted attention and looked like prosperity and happiness for Christmas at Bon Haven Ranch. As he passed through town, returning home, he waved a bright, cheery good-bye to his friends.

### Buys Cattle.

John Nevitt, Basin Springs, returned Monday from Louisville with a bunch of 24 head of feeders for himself and 15 head for E. H. Shellman.

Walter Moorman bought a fine Polled Durham bull from E. H. Shellman for \$100 and one from Sam Cardin for \$125. Jonas Lyons is feeding a bunch of cattle for Robertson Bros. on the shares, six cents basis.

### Haynes-LeGrande.

Miss Mary Haynes and Mr. Eric LeGrande, two prominent young people of Garfield, were married Sunday at 10 o'clock by the Rev. T. N. Cundiff.

Try a News Want Ad Today

## BIG CONSOLIDATION AT HARDINSBURG

Two Important Firms Will be Conducted Under the Name of The Hardinsburg Mill and Elevator Co.

### BEST MARKET POSSIBLE.

The Hardinsburg Mill & Elevator Company and Heston, Whitworth & Company, of Hardinsburg, Ky., have consolidated and the business from December 20 will be conducted under the name of The Hardinsburg Mill & Elevator Company. They will continue to carry all the lines carried by Heston, Whitworth & Co., in addition to their general milling business.

Wade and Vic Pile have sold their entire interest in the milling company and Jess Whitworth, who has had an interest in the firm of Heston, Whitworth & Co., has sold his entire interest in same. The entire management of the business in the future will be under the direct supervision of Mr. Alfred Taylor, who has been interested in the Milling Company for the last few years, and Mr. Russell R. Compton, who has been manager of Heston, Whitworth & Co. for the last three years.

The capital stock of the new corporation will be \$18,000.00, fully paid up, instead of \$15,000.00, and their principal place of business will be at The Hardinsburg Mill & Elevator Company's office on Cloverport Street. For the present they will have some one at the office formerly occupied by Heston, Whitworth & Co. and the depot until they can effect other arrangements.

The consolidation of these two companies, which have carried principally the same lines for the last ten years, make it one of the largest and strongest institutions of its kind in this section of the State of Kentucky. The management will take pleasure in extending to the public, which has been very so liberal with them in the past, every favor possible, consistent with good business.

The people of Hardinsburg, Breckinridge county and the surrounding counties should feel very proud to have a business of this kind, as it will enable them to have the very best market possible for the products handled by them.

### Notice.

To Creditors and Debtors: All persons and firms indebted to us will please arrange for settlement at once. Owing to a change in our business we are forced to ask this favor, and kindly urge that it be complied with immediately. Please write or call at our office at the Hardinsburg Mill & Elevator Co. All who have claims against us will please present same.

Heston-Whitworth & Co.,  
Hardinsburg, Ky.

Read Your Home Paper

## LETTERS FROM OUR LITTLE READERS TO SANTA CLAUS



### Wants Sail Boat.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am a little boy nearly five years old and will tell you what I want for Christmas. Please bring me a hobby horse, a sail boat, a set of carpenter tools and lots of good things to eat. I would like a nice story book too.

Your little boy,

Woodrow W. Pile,  
Mook, Ky.

### Looking For Santa.

Dear Santa Claus:—I am looking for you Christmas. I want you to bring me a writing desk, a doll, stove a box of colored crayons, a pair of house slippers, a story book, fruit, candy and nuts. Be sure to come and don't disappoint me.

Your little girl,

Mary Ruth Stallman,  
Chenault, Ky.

P. S.—Mr. Editor: Please publish this so Santa Claus can read it.

### Still Living.

My Dear Santa:—I am still living and just as good as ever. I am seven years old and go to school every day. Please bring me that billy goat and wagon you aimed to bring last year and load the wagon with apples, candy, nuts, bananas, roman candles, fire crackers and caps for my pistol, and please remember all good boys and girls.

Edwin H. Stone,  
Glen Dean, Ky.

### Santa Won't Forget.

Dear Santa:—It is almost Christmas and I thought I would write you a few lines to let you know I haven't forgotten you, and I don't want you to forget me. Please bring me a story book, candy, fire crackers, roman candles, nuts, figs, raisins, and please don't forget my teacher, Miss Elmira Lyons.

Your little girl,

Amy Wilson Stone,  
Glen Dean, Ky.

### A Bad Little Girl.

Dear Santa:—As grandma says she is going to tell you how bad I have been, I will write you so you won't be mad at me. I broke my doll that you gave me last Christmas. So please bring me another one and I will be careful. I would like to have some candy, nuts, grapes and a pair of overalls with four pockets. Please don't forget cousin, Betty Owen. I am cousin, Ike's bad little girl.

Mabelle Owen Jarboe,  
Glen Dean, Ky.

### Wants Roman Candles.

Dear Santa:—Please bring me a rifle, a good book, rubber ball, roman candles, fire crackers, candy, oranges, bananas, nuts and raisins. I have a sister and little brother. Please don't forget them. I am a little boy eight years old and go to school every day.

Robert Squires,  
McQuady.

### First Letter to Santa.

Dear Old Santa:—I am five years old and this is my first letter to you. Now I want you to bring me an express wagon, a train, a little gun that shoots a stopper, telephone, a wagon with a

mule hitched to it, a sack of marbles, knife, fruit, nuts, fire works and some caps for my pistol. I will be a good little boy and go to bed early and shut my eyes tight.

Walter Owen Black,  
Addison.

### Wants Pencil Box.

Dear Old Santa Claus:—I thought I would write to you and tell you what I want. Please bring me a pencil box and some candy. Now don't forget Billy, Pauline and Lamar.

Your little girl,

Mary Ellen Ryan,  
Mattingly, Ky.

### Tries to be Good.

Dear Old Santa:—I am a little girl four years old and I try to be a good girl. I want you to please bring me a gold ring, a doll, bracelet, some candy, oranges and raisins. I will go to bed early and close my eyes tight. Don't forget mama and papa.

Benlah Tinus,  
Mattingly.

### Wants Big Doll.

Dear Santa:—As it is drawing near Christmas, I thought I would write to you and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want you to please bring me a ring and a big doll, and don't forget mama, papa and my two little sisters.

Your little girl,

Bessie Muriel Tinus,  
Mattingly, Ky.

### Wants Doll Buggy.

Dear Old Santa:—I am a little girl eight years old. I thought I would write to you and tell you what I want for Christmas. I want a doll, doll buggy, story book, some candy and oranges.

From your little girl,

Marian Newman

### Wants Air Gun.

Dear Santa:—Please bring me an air gun, a horse, wagon, an automobile that will run, little boat, a knife, marbles, a pair of gloves, some story books, box of crayons, pistol caps, an Indian suit, a ball, all kinds of fire works. Will go to bed early.

Your little friend,

A Addison Black,  
Addison, Ky.

### Doesn't Ask For Much.

Dear Santa:—I will not ask you for very much this time, as you have always been good to me. I want an air gun, tricycle, shooting crackers, caps for my pistol, a story book, sweater, pair of gloves, a knife, marbles and fire works. Also nuts and candy. I will be a good boy.

Everett Lee Black,  
Addison, Ky.

### Will be at Stephensport.

Dear Santa:—I am a little girl seven years old. My home is at Mystic, but I will be at Stephensport until after Christmas. Please bring me a sweater, a pair of shoes, doll, nuts and candy. Don't forget my little brothers and sisters and my little cousins at Owensboro. I will go to bed early and shut my eyes.

S. Catherine Rose,  
Mystic.

## SECOND MESSAGE GOES TO AUSTRIA

Every Bit as Strong as First Note on the Ancona Case.

### REFUSES BILL OF PARTICULARS

Austria Must Yield to American Demands if a Rupture of Diplomatic Relations is to Be Avoided—Believed at Washington That Germany Will Bring Pressure to Bear on Her Ally.

Washington, Dec. 20.—This government's second note to Austria on the sinking of the Ancona has been cabled to Vienna.

Upon this communication depends whether or not diplomatic relations are to be continued with Austria-Hungary. The United States has refused to discuss the circumstance or legality of the submarine attack and has declined to accede to Austria's request for a bill of particulars upon which the original American demands were based. As described by a high administration official, the note that has been dispatched to the Vienna is every bit as strong as the first one addressed to the dual monarchy.

This is taken here to mean that Austria must yield to the demands of the United States or repudiate the statement of her admiralty in regard to the details of the Ancona sinking if a rupture with the United States is to be avoided.

It can be said authoritatively that the American government looks on the situation as grave and will await with considerable anxiety Vienna's next move. Any hope that exists in official circles that Austria will accede to the American demands seems to be based on the belief that Germany will bring pressure on her ally to affect an adjustment of the controversy. As Washington views the situation there is one loophole through which Austria may avert the crisis without immediately yielding to this government's demands. This might be done if the foreign office at Vienna should find itself able to repudiate the admiralty statement which confirmed the American view that the Ancona, while at a standstill, was torpedoed and sunk with passengers still on board.

That statement by the Austrian admiralty is the keystone on which the United States rests its case against the dual monarchy. As long as it stands unrepudiated this government will feel it has all the evidence necessary, and that it can not enter into a discussion of other circumstances which are regarded as immaterial.

## AN OLD DEED

Belonging to the Pate Heirs—  
Twenty Years Old—Now  
Ready to be Recorded.

Marion Weatherholt, deputy clerk, recently completed an old deed, containing twenty signatures for the Pate heirs, beginning in February, 1885, and completed by him on the eighth day of December, 1915.

The deed was so old and in such a condition that Mr. Weatherholt had to paste and patch it up to keep it from falling to pieces before it was sent to the place of record. Although now readable it must have been a task for him to have

## TWICE SAVED THE CITY OF HARDINSBURG.

To the good Citizens of Hardinsburg and Community:

We wish to thank each and every one for their valuable assistance rendered in our behalf through the recent fire. By the heroic work of the citizens, and the substantial walls of this institution, we have twice in the last two years practically saved the City of Hardinsburg from desolate ruin. We believe, and think the public in general, will agree with us, when we say that we have one of the most remarkable buildings for Banking purposes in the State of Kentucky, having twice been tried by the most terrific fires, and coming out with only minor losses. We offer a building like this to safeguard the belongings of our Patrons and Friends.

Backed by Stockholders worth many thousands of dollars, which doubly secures you from any loss either by fire or otherwise. We ask you to become one of the Depositors of this Good Bank and enjoy the many hospitalities afforded by its Officers and Directors.

Again thanking you, and wishing you a merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. We are, very truly yours,  
THE FARMERS BANK, Hardinsburg, Ky.

## ANOTHER FIRE AT HARDINSBURG

Harness and Grocery Store of John P. Haswell, Sr., Destroyed by Fire Saturday Night.

### OTHER BUILDINGS DAMAGED

Hardinsburg, Dec. 19.—(Special).—John P. Haswell, Sr.'s general harness, saddlery and grocery store was destroyed by fire last night. The fire was discovered about 2 o'clock, and was under such headway when discovered, that it was impossible to save any of the contents. The building and stock was a total loss. Origin of fire unknown.

Mr. Haswell's place of business was considered the nearest fire proof building in the city, being built of brick with concrete floors throughout and metal roof. Through the efforts of the bucket brigade Teaf's general store and the Farmers Bank building was saved. The damage to each of these buildings will amount to a considerable sum. The Cumberland Telephone Company sustained quite a loss as well as the Hardinsburg Electric Light plant.

This makes the second fire for Mr. Haswell in the last three years, as his place of business was destroyed in May, 1913, when the principal part of the city was destroyed. His loss is partially covered by insurance. He had sufficient insurance in 1913 to enable him to rebuild and go into business again, which was paid by Paul Compton, of this city. He had continued giving his insurance business to Mr. Compton. Before the building fell in last night Mr. Compton had made all the necessary arrangements for him to get his insurance, which will enable him to rebuild and resume business at the same old place on Main street, where he will take pleasure in supplying his customers and friends with the lines carried in the past.

placed it together.

In sending the deed to be recorded Mr. Weatherholt had the following to say to C. V. Robertson:

"I have labored diligently on the enclosed deed to get in recordable form, and I hope that it will hold together long enough to get it to record. It certainly is old enough to be laid to rest, and after the rites have been said over it by you, please return to me, charging the funeral expenses to my account."

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### Teachers Get Their Money.

County School Superintendent J. W. Trent reports the largest school warrant this month ever received by the county. The amount was \$10,193.64 for two months pay for the teachers. Mr. Trent has already mailed checks to teachers who had in their reports. There are about 125 teachers in the county.

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