

DALLAS.

Dallas is Headquarters of nearly all the state agencies, implements, machinery, insurance, loan, real estate, immigration and commercial travelers.

Dallas is a Railroad Center. Five trunk lines enter the city, giving an outlet in ten different directions, covering every important part of the State.

Dallas the Distributing Point of Texas.—Dallas jobbers and manufacturers ship their goods all over Texas and into the adjoining states and territories. "Dallas territory," within four hours ride, or 100 miles of Dallas, comprises 40 out of 247 counties in the State.

Area of Texas	267,429 square miles.
Area of Dallas Territory	31,416 square miles.
Population of Texas in 1880	1,591,740
Population of Texas in 1890	2,335,523
Increase	643,783
Population of Dallas Territory, 1880	574,897
Population of Dallas Territory, 1890	824,605
Increase	249,708
Or 88 per cent. of the increase of the entire state.	
Assessed value of property in Dallas Territory	\$275,831,796
Number of cities, towns and villages in Dallas Territory	810
Number of business houses in Texas	27,328
Number of business houses in Dallas Territory	16,875
Or 61.4 per cent.	

These cities, towns and villages are supported and backed up by the agricultural and live stock interest surrounding them. Drouths never visit the Dallas territory, and hence grass and crop failures are unknown.

Summing up the Dallas Territory (40 out of 247 counties) with less than one-third of the tillable land in cultivation, contains:

37% of the population of the entire state.

31 9-10% of the assessed values of the entire state.

61 4-10% of the business houses of the entire state.

33 1/3% of the cotton produced in the entire state, or one-ninth of the product of the United States.

65% of the wheat produced in the entire state.

32% of the corn produced in the entire state.

55% of the oats produced in the entire state.

When this district is populated on a basis with the older states, you can safely multiply by three the products, population and wealth of this section.

Texas Supremacy.



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Texas is greatest in area.

Texas is greatest in good lands.

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Texas is greatest in cheap lands.

Texas is greatest in Public School Fund.

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Texas is greatest in Cattle.

Texas is greatest in Horses.

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Texas is greatest in Cotton.

Texas is greatest in Wool.

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Texas is greatest in natural resources and probable possibilities, and offers the greatest opportunities for profitable employment of money.

BEATIE BROTHERS,

(Successors to J. M. BEATIE.)

LOANS

...AND...

Investment

Securities.

DALLAS, TEXAS.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK,

At Dallas, in the State of Texas,
at the close of business, March 9, 1897.—No. 3132.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$ 497,578 80
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	85,159 62
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	250,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits	100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	1 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	26,784 20
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	66,999 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	11,907 54
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	107,373 95
Due from state banks and bankers	1,282 48
Due from approved reserve agents	186,283 17
Checks and other cash items	1,851 84
Exchanges for clearing-house	4,593 36
Notes of other national banks	82,650 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	116 10
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$140,844 25
Legal tender notes	120,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	9,000 00
Total	\$1,491,636 16

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,157 20
National bank notes outstanding	180,000 00
Due to other national banks	61,677 66
Due to state banks and bankers	10,548 08
Individual deposits subject to check	774,369 73
Demand certificates of deposit	6,430 00
Time certificates of deposit	531 43
Certified checks	1,500 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,521 09
United States deposits	12,969 91
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	19,991 32
Total	\$1,491,636 16

State of Texas, county of Dallas, ss:

I, E. J. Gannon, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. J. GANNON, Cash r.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of March, 1897. L. A. SMITH,

Notary Public, Dallas county, Texas.

Correct—Attest: J. B. Wilson, W. C. Padgett, W. H. Thomas, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
CITY NATIONAL BANK,

At Dallas, in the State of Texas,
at the close of business, March 9, 1897.—No. 2455.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$791,824 66
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	44,064 57
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	4,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	37,500 00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	83,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	100,940 47
Due from state banks and bankers	74,515 70
Due from approved reserve agents	220,251 65
Checks and other cash items	6,521 79
Exchanges for clearing-house	22,292 83
Notes of other national banks	12,510 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	563 75
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$161,607 00
Legal tender notes	322,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	2,250 00
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund	600 00
Total	\$1,990,605 42

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$100,000 00
Surplus fund	30,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	8,029 04
National bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Due to other national banks	316,741 84
Due to state banks and bankers	47,509 01
Individual deposits subject to check	230 00
Demand certificates of deposit	1,120,608 75
Time certificates of deposit	4,939 85
Certified checks	7,500 89
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,037 00
Total	\$1,990,605 42

State of Texas, county of Dallas, ss:

I, E. O. Tension, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. O. TENSION, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1897. R. D. HARRIS,

Notary public, Dallas county, Texas.

Correct—Attest: J. C. O'Connor, J. E. Schneider, Guy Sumpter, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
NATIONAL EXCHANGE BANK,

At Dallas, in the State of Texas,
at the close of business, March 9, 1897.—No. 3033.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$724,703 85
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	18,314 03
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds	4,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	50,375 86
Banking-house, furniture, and fixtures	8,600 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned	75,280 03
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	66,064 89
Due from state banks and bankers	20,749 44
Due from approved reserve agents	165,632 22
Checks and other cash items	932 88
Exchange for clearing-houses	6,469 75
Notes of other national banks	24,070 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	3,259 50
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$110,079 65
Legal tender notes	55,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	2,250 00
Total	\$1,419,750 67

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$300,000 00
Surplus fund	11,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	18,281 93
National bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Due to other national banks	399,874 85
Due to state banks and bankers	85,431 29
Individual deposits subject to check	631,061 56
Demand certificates of deposit	15,538 60
Time certificates of deposit	25,268 00
Certified checks	105 04
Cashier's checks outstanding	7,671 10
Total	\$1,419,750 67

State of Texas, county of Dallas, ss:

I, A. V. Lane, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. V. LANE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1897. Notary public, Dallas county, Texas.

Correct—Attest: John N. Simpson, W. H. Gaston, S. I. Munger, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE,

At Dallas, in the State of Texas,
at the close of business, March 9, 1897.—No. 3985.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	\$358,451 84
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	3,310 40
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	37,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.	5,855 22
Other real estate and mortgages owned	5,918 88
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	22,240 66
Due from state banks and bankers	10,532 13
Due from approved reserve agents	51,235 74
Checks and other cash items	290 78
Exchanges for clearing-houses	2,800 10
Notes of other national banks	2,691 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	69 65
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:	
Specie	\$29,212 25
Legal tender notes	5,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,687 50
Total	\$443,736 66

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$150,000 00
Surplus fund	1,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	22,005 21
National bank notes outstanding	25,710 00
Due to other national banks	20,625 07
Due to state banks and bankers	3,116 35
Dividends unpaid	50 00
Individual deposits subject to check	212,483 16
Demand certificates of deposit	180 00
Certified checks	500 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,000 00
Reserve for taxes	637 87
Total	\$443,736 66

State of Texas, county of Dallas, ss:

I, J. D. Estes, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. D. ESTES, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, 1897. Notary Public, Dallas county, Texas.

Correct—Attest: J. B. Adoue, James Moroney, J. M. Harry, Directors.

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THIS COMPANY reserves the right to issue the above named certificates at its option, and when it cannot find profitable use for the money to withdraw them from sale.

THERE IS NO very profitable investment which is as safe as these interest bearing certificates,

...As...

THE LOANS made by the Company are in nearly every case to contract-holders, who mortgage their homes to secure loans. Therefore the incentive to make prompt payment is strong, and default is very rare.

TO INVESTORS of large or small amounts the KENTUCKY GUARANTEE COMPANY invites a careful investigation of its plans and methods.

Kentucky Guarantee Company,

Office, 315 Fifth St.,

Louisville, Ky.

c Jan. 7, 1897

.. The ..

Kentucky Guarantee
Company,
(Incorporated.)

Choice —
Investments.

6	Per cent.
and	Interest
8	Guaranteed.

Read Carefully.

Office :
315 Fifth Street, Louisville, Ky.

Guaranteed Profits.

THERE ARE MANY investors who appreciate the security and unusual profits possible under the profit sharing system as practiced by the KENTUCKY GUARANTEE COMPANY, but who prefer investing sums of one hundred (\$100) dollars to one thousand (\$1,000) dollars or more at one time rather than be bound to deposit a certain sum regularly.

To meet the wants of such investors and also to accommodate the demands for first-class loans the KENTUCKY GUARANTEE COMPANY now issues two classes of coupon certificates upon which but one deposit is made, as follows:

Class "B" or Prepaid Certificates.

IN CONSIDERATION of the advance payment of fifty (\$50) dollars, or multiples thereof, a prepaid certificate, non-assessable, is issued. Upon this certificate a semi-annual dividend of three (3) per cent. on amount paid for said certificate (six (6) per cent. per annum) is paid. When the sum paid for this certificate, together with its full equitable proportion of the Company's entire accumulated

profits on the investment (IN EXCESS OF THE 6 PER CENT. PER ANNUM, PAID) amounts to one hundred (\$100) dollars, (double the cost price) that sum will be paid to the certificate-holder or his assigns, upon the surrender of said certificate to the Company. The investor will thus receive double the amount invested, after having drawn six (6) per cent. annual dividends during the entire time.

Class "C" or Fully-paid Certificates.

IN CONSIDERATION of the advance payment of one hundred (\$100) dollars, or multiples thereof, a certificate is issued, FULLY-PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE. Upon this certificate a semi-annual dividend of four (4) per cent. (eight (8) per cent. per annum) is paid; but it does not share in the profits of the Company. And the Company reserves the right to call in and cancel these certificates at any time after one year.

THE FUNDS invested in either of the above classes may be withdrawn by giving the Company sixty (60) days' notice of such withdrawal, in writing on blanks furnished by the Company, at the time of the maturity of an interest coupon.

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WE OFFER A LIMITED AMOUNT OF
METROPOLITAN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY,
OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI,
Consolidated Mortgage Five Per Cent Bonds.

Both Principal and Interest Payable in Gold Coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness.

BONDS MAY BE REGISTERED.

Dated May 1, 1895. Due May 1, 1910. No Option. Trustee, Old Colony Trust Company, Boston. Principal and May and November interest payable at the office of the Trustee.

These bonds are secured by mortgage on the entire Metropolitan Street Railway system, serving practically the entire territory of Kansas City, Missouri, Kansas City, Kansas, and the surrounding suburbs containing a population of over 200,000.

On June 1, 1895, the Metropolitan Street Railway Company acquired the properties formerly owned by the Kansas City Cable Railway Company, Grand Avenue Railway Company, Kansas City & Independence Rapid Transit Company, West Side Railway Company, and also acquired the controlling interest in the stock of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company. The gross mileage of the combined systems is 134.95 miles of single track.

The Official Report and Balance Sheet of the Company, dated June 1, 1896, show the following:

Capital Stock	\$5,496,800
Bonds outstanding	7,519,000

EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

Year ending June 1, 1895:	
Gross earnings	\$1,544,160.58
Operating expenses, including taxes	906,947.53
Net earnings	\$ 637,219.05
Year ending June 1, 1896:	
Gross earnings	\$1,622,883.48
Operating expenses, including taxes	934,815.12
Net earnings	\$ 688,073.36
Interest on bonds	364,564.46
Surplus earnings	\$ 323,508.90

The above does not include the earnings of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company, the interest on whose bonds has been guaranteed by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company. This guarantee is an obligation of the Company, but not a lien.

The Company has expended a large amount of money in the past year in improving, bettering and extending its system, and it is expected by the officers that the result of these improvements will show increased earnings during the ensuing year.

The Metropolitan Street Railway Company was organized in 1886 and the system has been successfully operated under the present management for the past ten years, and has paid dividends on its capital stock every year, except one, since its incorporation. The report of the Company shows payment of dividends for the fiscal year ending June 1, 1896, amounting to \$117,726, and the transference to surplus account of \$45,934.66.

The topographical situation of Kansas City is particularly favorable for the development of a large street railway traffic, and the city is now on a thoroughly substantial basis and its prospects for the future are most promising. The Company's franchises are favorable in their terms and extend until 1925, or 15 years after the maturity of this issue of bonds.

Considering the good physical condition of the property, its conservative management and occupation of all the available territory, we are satisfied that the security back of these bonds will steadily increase, and that the bonds themselves will enhance in value.

The bonds were purchased by us after a thorough investigation, and we recommend them as a safe and desirable investment. The legality was passed upon by local attorneys and by Messrs. Seward, Guthrie, Morawetz & Steele, of New York City, whose opinion will be furnished if desired.

Additional information furnished on application.

These bonds are offered on very attractive terms. Write or wire for price.

INVESTMENTS.

Circular No. 765.

BOND DEPARTMENT,

N. W. HARRIS & COMPANY, Bankers,

CHICAGO:
204 Dearborn Street.

NEW YORK:
15 Wall Street.

BOSTON:
70 State Street.

CHICAGO, JANUARY, 1897.

We own and offer, subject to prior sale and advance in price, the following bonds:

UNITED STATES BONDS.

COUPON OR REGISTERED.

INTEREST PAYABLE QUARTERLY.

Quotations made by wire upon all the issues of Government bonds, coupon or registered, either for National Banks to use as a basis for circulation, or for investment by institutions, trustees or individuals. We have, in very compact form, a full statement of the Government debt and finances, together with the highest and lowest quotations on United States bonds for a period of twenty years, which will be sent upon request. Correspondence invited.

\$50,000 Cambridge, Massachusetts, Registered 4's.

Dated October 1, 1895. Due October 1, 1915. Interest payable April and October, at National Bank of Redemption, Boston. Denomination, \$10,000.

Assessed valuation	\$80,850,260
Total debt, including this issue	4,971,800
Water debt	\$2,215,500
Sinking fund	511,816
Net debt	2,727,316
Population	81,819

Legal for New York and Massachusetts Savings Banks.

Price on application.

\$42,000 Cambridge, Massachusetts, Registered 4's.

Dated October 1, 1895. Due October 1, 1915. Denomination, three of \$10,000 and one of \$12,000.

Legal for New York and Massachusetts Savings Banks.

Price on application.

\$100,000 Corning, New York, 4's.

Dated July 1, 1896. Due in installments from 1906 to 1935. Interest payable semi-annually in New York City. Denomination, \$1,000.

Assessed valuation	\$3,126,800
Total debt, including this issue	\$227,000
Sinking fund	34,000
Net debt	193,000
Population	12,000

Legal for New York Savings Banks.

Price on application.

\$25,000 Elmira, New York, Registered 4½'s.

Dated September 1, 1896. Maturities given below. Interest payable March 1 and September 1, by the City Chamberlain of Elmira, in New York Exchange. Denomination, \$5,000.

Assessed valuation	\$16,407,788
Total debt, including this issue	964,500
Population (estimated)	40,000

Legal for New York Savings Banks.

\$15,000 due September 1, 1920.
10,000 due September 1, 1931.

Price on application.

\$21,000 Binghamton, New York 4's.

Dated August 1, 1896. Maturities given below. Interest payable semi-annually, February and August, in New York City.

Assessed valuation	\$19,731,950
Total debt, including this issue	\$414,500
Water debt	109,500
Net debt	305,000
Population	27,000

Legal for New York Savings Banks.

\$3,000 due August 1, 1916
\$10,000 due August 1, 1929
\$8,000 due August 1, 1917

Price on application.

\$17,000 Grand Rapids, Michigan, Water 4½'s.

Dated October 1, 1893. Due October 1, 1913. Interest payable April 1 and October 1. Denomination, \$1,000.

Assessed valuation	\$26,017,277
Total debt	\$1,863,000
Water debt	887,000
Net debt	976,000
Population	60,278

Legal for New York Savings Banks.

Price on application.

\$23,000 Grand Rapids, Michigan, City Hall 5's.

Dated July 1, 1884. Due July 1, 1904. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, in Grand Rapids, Michigan. Denomination, \$1,000.

Legal for New York Savings Banks.

Price on application.

\$104,000 Town of Windom, Connecticut, 4's.

Due April 1, 1925. Interest payable semi-annually, April 1 and October 1. Denomination, \$1,000 and \$500.
Assessed valuation.....\$4,455,666
Total debt, this issue included.....141,702
Population, 10,036.

Legal for Connecticut and Massachusetts Savings Banks.
Price on application.

\$8,000 Danvers, Massachusetts, 4's.

Dated June 1, 1896. Due June 1, 1926. Interest payable June 1 and December 1, in Boston.
Assessed valuation.....\$4,815,398
Total debt, including this issue.....\$315,415
Water debt.....268,515
Net debt.....46,900
Population, 8,181.

Legal for Massachusetts Savings Banks.
Price 107½ and interest, netting about 3.60 per cent.

\$27,850 Malden, Massachusetts, 4's.

Due in installments from 1898 to 1911, inclusive. Interest payable semi-annually, in Boston.
Denomination, \$1,000, \$1,750 and \$1,850.
Assessed valuation.....\$23,071,940
Total debt, including this issue.....1,563,100
Water debt.....\$580,000
Sinking fund.....78,370 688,370
Net debt.....904,730
Population, 31,331.

Legal for Massachusetts Savings Banks.
Price of any maturity to net 3½ per cent.

\$5,000 Winchester, Massachusetts, 4's.

Dated June 1, 1896. Maturities and prices below. Interest payable June 1 and December 1, in Boston.
Assessed valuation.....\$6,872,150
Total debt, including this issue.....\$493,500
Water debt.....387,000
Net debt.....136,500
Legal for Massachusetts Savings Banks.
\$1,000 due December 1, 1923; 108 and interest.
\$4,000 due December 1, 1924; 108½ and interest.
Netting 3.55 per cent.

\$7,500 City of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 5's.

Maturing \$2,000 July 1, 1903; \$3,000 July 1, 1909; \$500 July 1, 1912; \$1,000 July 1, 1913. Interest payable semi-annually, January and July 1, in New York.
Assessed valuation.....\$142,926,395
Total debt, this issue included.....\$8,876,730
Water debt and sinking fund.....1,084,000
Net debt.....3,892,730
Population, 204,416.

Price on application.

\$6,000 Boston, Massachusetts, Registered 4's.

Dated January 1, 1896. Due January 1, 1916. Interest payable semi-annually, January 1 and July 1, at the City Treasurer's office. Denomination, \$1,000.
Legal for New York Savings Banks.
Price on application.

\$10,000 City of Moline, Illinois, 4½'s.

Dated January 2, 1897. Due in twenty years, optional after fifteen years. Interest payable annually January 2, at the office of the City Treasurer. Coupons may be collected through our New York, Boston or Chicago house, free. Denomination, \$1,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$7,409,920
Assessed valuation for taxation.....1,852,480
Total debt, this issue included.....\$22,000
Less water debt.....60,000
Net debt.....32,000
Population, 17,000 (official estimate).
Constitutional limit of debt, five per cent.

Moline is one of the most prosperous manufacturing cities in northwestern Illinois. Situated on the Mississippi River, only three miles above Davenport, the city is divided from the island of Rock Island by a very narrow channel. The rapid flow of water at this point affords immense motive power and is at the basis of Moline's industrial importance. Four foundries, two flouring mills, two saw mills, two large plow and cultivator factories, beside establishments for the manufacture of boilers, pumps and scales, all indicate the city's prominence as a manufacturing center.

Price 105½ and interest, netting 4 per cent.

\$20,000 Terre Haute, Indiana, Refunding 4's.

Dated November 2, 1896. Due in twenty years. Optional after ten years. Interest payable May 2 and November 2, at the Central Trust Company, New York City. Denomination, \$1,000.
True value of property, estimated.....\$33,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....20,244,510
Total debt, including this issue.....380,000
Constitutional limit of debt two per cent.
Population, 42,000 (official estimate).
Legal for Massachusetts Savings Banks.

\$3,500 River Forest, Illinois, 5's.

(Cook County).

Interest and principal payable at the Chicago National Bank, Chicago. Denomination, \$500. \$2,500 of the bonds dated June 30, 1896, bear June and December interest and were issued for water purposes. \$1,000 of the bonds, dated July 15, 1896, bear January and July interest and were issued for the purpose of erecting a village hall.

True value of property, estimated.....\$1,800,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....213,989
Total debt, this issue included.....5,800
Population, 2,000.
Constitutional limit of debt 5 per cent.

River Forest is a wealthy suburban village on the Chicago & North-western Railroad, just outside the municipal limits of Chicago. It is beautifully situated, right on the banks of the Desplaines River, and many of the successful business men of Chicago reside here.

The water bonds mature as follows:
\$500 June 30, 1901; price 101¼
500 June 30, 1902; price 101¼
500 June 30, 1903; price 102
500 June 30, 1904; price 101¼
500 June 30, 1905; price 102½

The village hall bonds mature:
\$500 July 15, 1906; price 102½
500 July 15, 1907; price 105
Accrued interest to be added to all prices quoted.
Price to net 4½ per cent.

\$57,000 Ford County, Illinois, Township 5's.

Dated November 18, 1892. Maturing serially, as indicated hereafter. Principal and annual interest (July 15) payable at the American Exchange National Bank of New York City, or at the State Treasurer's Office, Springfield, Illinois. Denomination, \$500.

True value of property, estimated.....\$3,850,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....550,000
This issue is the only debt.....60,000
Population, 3,000.

These bonds were authorized by Drummer Township, Ford County, Illinois, for the purpose of funding an original 6 per cent. loan of 1882. The bonds were issued in accordance with the well-known Illinois refunding act of 1879, under the provisions of which the bonds have been registered by the Auditor of Public Accounts. Taxes for the payment of interest are levied and collected with State taxes, and are turned over to the State Treasurer, by whom coupons are paid, thus making them a *quasi* State obligation.

Drummer Township is situated in the southwestern corner of Ford County, less than thirty miles east of Bloomington. The township includes Gibson City, and covers an area of fifty-four square miles. Probably nowhere in Illinois is the soil more fertile or farming lands more productive. Land in Drummer Township readily sells at eighty dollars per acre, and property in Gibson City is, of course, still more valuable. The agricultural products of the township are easily marketed, owing to the ample transportation facilities offered over the Wabash, the Illinois Central and the Lake Erie and Western railroads, which center at Gibson City.

The bonds mature:
\$4,500 July 15, 1897.....\$4,000 July 15, 1906
2,500 July 15, 1898.....4,500 July 15, 1907
2,500 July 15, 1899.....4,500 July 15, 1908
2,500 July 15, 1900.....5,000 July 15, 1909
3,000 July 15, 1902.....5,000 July 15, 1910
3,000 July 15, 1903.....5,500 July 15, 1911
3,500 July 15, 1904.....5,500 July 15, 1912
3,500 July 15, 1905.....
Price of any maturity on application.

\$13,000 St. Joseph County, Indiana, 4½'s.

PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN GOLD.
Dated December 1, 1896. Maturing in series as shown below. Interest payable June 1 and December 1, at the Chemical National Bank of New York City. Denomination, \$1,000.
True value of property, estimated.....\$50,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....27,508,285
Total debt, this issue included.....313,000
Population, census 1890, 42,457; now over 50,000.
Constitutional limit of debt 2 per cent.

These bonds are part of an issue of \$73,000 four-and-a-half's, authorized for the erection of a new court house at South Bend. Prior to this issue of bonds the county's debt was merely nominal, and even after the handsome edifice is completed the total bonded debt of Saint Joseph County will be less than one and one-seventh per cent of the assessed valuation. Saint Joseph County—one of the oldest and wealthiest counties in Indiana—is situated in the north central part of the state, immediately adjoining Michigan. Large manufacturing interests at South Bend, however, have brought the county into industrial importance, so that Saint Joseph County is known quite as much for the variety and extent of its manufactures as for its heavy harvests of corn and grain. South Bend, the county seat, is a substantial city of about 30,000 inhabitants, only 86 miles east of Chicago. It is the seat of the University of Notre Dame, probably the largest Catholic educational institution in this country.

The bonds mature:
\$ 6,000 December 1, 1902; price 103¼
2,000 December 1, 1903; price 103¼
5,000 December 1, 1909; price 106½
Accrued interest to be added to all prices quoted.
Netting 2½ per cent.

\$7,000 Marshalltown, Iowa, Refunding 4 1-2's.

Dated July 1, 1896. Maturing twenty years from date. Optional after fifteen years. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, at the Chase National Bank of New York City. Denomination, \$1,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$6,000,000.00
Assessed valuation for taxation.....1,581,520.00
Total indebtedness.....73,500.00
Water debt.....\$37,000.00
Sinking fund.....41,558.87
Net debt (less than two per cent.).....31,941.13
Population, 10,095.
Constitutional limit of debt, five per cent.

These bonds were issued to refund an equal amount of eight per cent. bonds, dated July 1, 1896, and authorized for the purpose of erecting a water works plant, owned and operated by the City.

Marshalltown is situated in central Iowa, fifty miles northeast of Des Moines. It is a thrifty, well built city, with substantial manufacturing interests as a basis for its prosperity. Among the industries represented are two canning establishments employing three hundred hands; a wagon factory employing one hundred and twenty-five men; extensive oil, vinegar, pickle and yeast works, besides a packing house, foundries and steam heater works. The largest glucose and starch factory in the country is located here. Three important railway systems center at Marshalltown, affording the manufacturer favorable rates of transportation.

The City has macadamized streets, adequate water works and a model system of sewers. Gas and electric light are furnished by private corporations. Excellent schools, two daily newspapers, eleven churches and five established banking institutions are evidence enough of the intelligence and integrity of the people.

Price 102½ and interest, netting 4½ per cent.

\$10,000 Fountain County, Indiana, Funding 5½'s.

Dated December 2, 1896. Maturities shown below. Interest payable June 15 and December 15, at the American Exchange National Bank of New York City. The bonds bear interest from December 15, 1896. Denomination, \$5,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$20,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....11,700,000
This series is the only debt.....30,000
Population, 1890, 19,938; now over 25,000.
Ratio of debt, approximately one quarter of one per cent.
Constitutional limit of debt, two per cent.

Fountain County is situated in western Indiana, less than ten miles from the Illinois State line. It is an old, conservative county, covering about four hundred square miles of the richest farming land within the fertile valley of the Wabash River. Besides raising large crops of corn and grain, Fountain County has extensive deposits of bituminous coal. With ample transportation facilities over three distinct railway systems, the products of the county find a ready market.

The bonds mature as follows:
\$2,500 December 15, 1900; price 103
2,500 December 15, 1901; price 106½
2,500 December 15, 1902; price 106½
2,500 December 15, 1903; price 109¼
Accrued interest to be added to prices quoted.
Netting 4½ per cent.

\$3,000 Cook County, Illinois, School District 5's.

(Issued by Harvey School District.)

Maturing March 1, 1905. April and October interest, payable at the Union National Bank of Chicago. Denomination, \$1,000.

Price and full information on application.

\$140,000 Painesville, Ohio, Water 5's.

Dated August 1, 1896. Maturing \$2,500 semi-annually, May 1 and November 1, from 1897 to 1926 inclusive. Average life fifteen years. Interest payable May 1 and November 1, at the office of the treasurer. Coupons may be collected through our New York, Boston or Chicago house, free. Denomination, \$500.

True value of property, estimated.....\$5,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....2,604,250
Total debt.....\$192,600
This issue is the only water debt.....150,000
Net debt.....42,600
Population, 6,000.

These bonds are issued to provide funds to acquire from a private company the local water works plant, which has been in successful operation since 1882, and now represents a valuable asset.

Painesville, the county seat of Lake County, is situated twenty-nine miles east of Cleveland and is one of the best known places in the historic Connecticut "Western Reserve." The fertility of the soil of this section of the state and the thrift, integrity and financial conservatism of the people are well known to those at all familiar with Ohio affairs.

Outside the water debt, represented by this issue of bonds (for which an income producing asset is secured), the total debt of Painesville is less than two per cent of its assessed valuation for taxation. We especially recommend the bonds of this wealthy and conservative community.

Price of any maturity to net 4 1/4 per cent.

\$47,000 Westport, Missouri, Gold 5's.

Dated July 1, 1896. Due in twenty years. No option. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, at the banking house of N. W. Harris & Company, New York City. Both principal and interest payable in gold. Denomination, \$1,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$10,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....2,478,400
Total debt.....\$118,000
Water debt (works owned by City).....75,000
Net debt.....43,000
Population, 10,000.

Net debt less than one and three-quarters per cent.
Constitutional limit of debt, five per cent.

These bonds were issued for constructing a water works system, owned and operated by the City, thus saving the expense of paying hydrant rental for fire protection. The plant represents a valuable asset of the city.

Westport is the leading suburb of Kansas City. The two are divided only by an imaginary line, and as soon as the residents of the suburb have obtained certain desirable public improvements, Westport will undoubtedly become—in law as in fact—an integral part of Kansas City.

At present, Kansas City business men regard Westport as the choicest site for their homes. The suburb is known as the fashionable residence district. The streets are paved, well lighted and lined with handsome residences. The public school system is excellent. Lines of electric and cable cars furnish easy access to the down-town portions of Kansas City—only a twenty-minute ride—so that residents enjoy all the advantages of city life.

Should Westport be annexed to Kansas City, the bonds we are now offering would be materially enhanced in value, for they would then probably sell on the same interest basis as the bonds of Kansas City proper, which are now a *legal investment for Massachusetts savings banks*. Kansas City bonds sell on a 3-70 basis, and at that rate, the Westport twenty-year lives we are now offering at 106 1/2 would be worth 117 1/2,—showing a good profit to the investor.

Price 106 1/2 and interest, netting 4 3/4 per cent.

\$83,000 Chicago Drainage 4 1/2's.

PRINCIPAL MAY BE REGISTERED IF DESIRED.
Maturing in series as shown below. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, and both principal and interest payable in Chicago. Denomination, \$1,000.

True value of property, official estimate.....\$2,401,449,820
Assessed valuation for taxation.....240,144,952
Property assessed about 1-10th of actual value.
Total bonded debt.....11,850,000
The State Constitution limits the debt of the Drainage District to five per cent.

Population, 1,750,000, estimated.

These bonds are issued by the SANITARY DISTRICT OF CHICAGO, a municipal corporation regularly organized under a general act of the Legislature of the State of Illinois, in pursuance of a popular vote of the electors within its limits, which include practically the entire City of Chicago, and the greater part of the adjoining populous towns of Cicero and Lyons. The aggregate debt of this District, of the City of Chicago and of Cook County, is less per capita than that of any of the principal cities of the United States, and is also less in proportion to the actual value of real and personal property. These bonds offer to conservative investors security equal to the best municipal issues at prices showing a much better return.

The bonds mature as follows:
\$ 9,000 January 1, 1898 \$17,000 January 1, 1904
12,000 January 1, 1901 9,000 January 1, 1905
21,000 January 1, 1903 15,000 January 1, 1907
Price on application, by mail or wire.

\$75,000 Kansas City, Missouri, School 4's.

Dated July 1, 1896. Maturing July 1, 1906. Interest payable January 1 and July 1. Principal and interest both payable at the banking house of Kountze Brothers, in New York. Denomination, \$500.

True value of property, official estimate.....\$142,500,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....\$7,000,000
Total debt, this issue included.....989,000
Value of school property owned by district.....1,700,000
Constitutional limit of debt, five per cent.
Population, 150,000.

These bonds were issued by the "School District of Kansas City," a distinct municipality organized for school purposes, and embracing all the property within the city limits and some contiguous territory. On all this property the bonds are a tax lien.

Not only is the School District in excellent financial condition, but so also is Kansas City proper. These bonds, issued in 1886 for erecting new school buildings, have been held until recently in the Kansas City Sinking Fund. With a large assessed valuation and a small ratio of debt (2 per cent.), and with a straight constitutional debt limit of 5 per cent., we especially recommend the bonds as a conservative investment.

Price 101 and interest.

\$4,000 West Bay City, Michigan, 6's.

Dated July 13, 1891. Due July 13, 1899. Interest payable semi-annually in New York. Denomination, \$1,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$4,300,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....2,871,890
Total debt.....244,000
Population, 16,000.

West Bay City is situated on the Saginaw River directly opposite Bay City, and the two, united by bridge and a common electric railway system, practically constitute one large manufacturing center with a population of nearly 50,000. Salt and lumber are the industries for which the place is noted.

Price 103 1/2 and interest, netting 4 1/2 per cent.

\$7,000 Menasha, Wisconsin, School 5's.

Dated December 1, 1896. Maturing serially as shown below. Interest payable annually at the banking house of N. W. Harris & Company, Chicago. Denomination, \$1,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$3,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....1,239,641
Total debt, this issue included.....50,950
Population, 6,300.
Constitutional limit of debt 5 per cent.

The City of Menasha is situated on Lake Winnebago, at the mouth of the Fox River, 40 miles north of Oshkosh. The excellent water power afforded by the Fox River has made Menasha foremost in the State in the manufacture of paper and woodware. Five paper mills alone represent an aggregate paid-in capital of nearly \$500,000, and a single woodware factory has a capitalization of \$250,000. Grist mills, breweries, machine shops, a woolen mill and pottery, besides extensive works for the manufacture of wooden pulleys, indicate the industrial importance of the city.

Neenah, a thriving city, is situated only half a mile north of Menasha. The two are connected by street railway, practically constituting one industrial center, with a population of over 12,000.

The bonds mature:
\$1,000 March 15, 1900; price 101 1/2
1,000 March 15, 1901; price 102 1/2
1,000 March 15, 1902; price 102 1/2
1,000 March 15, 1903; price 103 1/2
1,000 March 15, 1904; price 103 1/2
1,000 March 15, 1905; price 104 1/2
1,000 March 15, 1906; price 104 1/2
Accrued interest to be added to all prices quoted.

Netting 4 1/2 per cent.

\$46,000 Chattanooga, Tennessee, Sewer 6's.

Maturing April 15, 1909. Interest payable April 15 and October 15, at the Third National Bank of New York City. Denomination, \$500.

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True value of property, estimated.....\$24,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation.....12,000,000
Total bonded debt.....\$931,000
Less sinking fund.....85,000
Net debt.....846,000
Population (1899), 35,000.

Chattanooga is a wealthy and progressive city of the new south. It is situated on the Tennessee River, right at the convergence of the rich valleys which lie between the mountain ranges of Tennessee, Georgia and Alabama. Commercially, as well as geographically, the city is the center of a great tributary territory. Eight trunk lines of railway and the river boats furnish excellent transportation facilities at favorable rates, and make possible the continually increasing trade of Chattanooga.

Like Pittsburgh, Chattanooga has developed great industries. With vast deposits of coal and iron near at hand, smelting furnaces, rolling mills, cast iron pipe works, foundries and machine shops are all in active operation. The manufacture of lumber and the tanning of hides also employ large forces of men. With northern capital still seeking investment in the city, the future of Chattanooga seems assured.

Price furnished on application.

\$3,000 Carbon County, Wyoming, 6's.

Maturing August 1, 1903. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, at the National Park Bank of New York City. Denomination, \$1,000.

Price on application.

\$33,000 Canon City, Colorado, Refunding 6's.

Dated March 16, 1896. Due in thirty years. Optional after fifteen years. Interest payable March 16 and September 16 at the banking house of N. W. Harris & Company, New York City. Denomination, \$2,000.

True value of property, estimated.....\$2,322,245
Assessed valuation for taxation.....693,313
Total debt, this issue included.....\$110,000
Less water debt.....70,000
Net debt.....40,000
Value of water plant, owned by city, about.....100,000
Population, 4,000.

These bonds were issued to refund indebtedness incurred in 1880 in constructing a water works plant, now in successful operation, the annual income from which is sufficient to pay the interest on the entire water debt, besides saving the City the usual hydrant rental incident to fire protection. The plant itself represents an investment of about \$200,000, and constitutes a valuable asset of the City.

Canon City is situated in the midst of a fertile valley, forty miles southwest of Colorado Springs. Surrounded by mountains, the City is the natural trading point and base of supplies for the mining districts round about. The agricultural resources of the valley are exceptional, even for Colorado, the conditions being especially favorable to fruit raising. Peaches, pears, grapes and strawberries are produced in great abundance, while the harvests of cereals and vegetables are hardly less bountiful.

To the southeast of the City are extensive coal fields, worked by several companies. The Canon City Coal Company, employing 500 men, with a monthly pay roll of \$25,000, produced, on an average, 1,100 tons daily during 1895. The petroleum wells here seem inexhaustible, and together with the rich deposits of copper, lead and porcelain clay, form a substantial basis for the City's future industrial development. Canon City is on the main line of the Denver & Rio Grande Railroad, and constitutes the terminal of a branch of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe. The City has electric lights and a complete water works system, besides good schools and churches. As the judicial seat of Fremont County, Canon City is of considerable local importance.

Price 103 1/2 and interest, netting 5 1/2 per cent. for 15 years, and 6 per cent. thereafter.

\$15,000 Latrobe, Pennsylvania, Funding 5's.

Dated June 1, 1896. Maturing in twenty years. Optional after fifteen years. Principal and June and December interest payable at the Chase National Bank of New York City. Denomination, \$500.

True value of property, estimated.....\$2,152,011
Assessed valuation for taxation.....1,791,075
Total bonded debt, this issue included.....24,100
Population, 6,000, (official estimate).
Ratio of debt less than two per cent of assessed valuation.

These bonds were issued to take up certificates of indebtedness previously authorized for the purpose of paving and constructing sewers on the main street of the Borough.

Latrobe is situated on the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, forty-one miles east of Pittsburgh. Abundant coal, ample water supply and excellent transportation facilities, combined, have made Latrobe the most important manufacturing city of its size in Western Pennsylvania. Among the industries represented, are extensive coke ovens, steel works, flooring, paper and planing mills, besides machine shops and a shoe factory.

The rapid but constant growth of the Borough is shown by the fact that its population, according to the census of 1890, was approximately double that of 1880, and the increase since then has been proportionately large.

The new Pittsburgh & Eastern Railway, which will probably be completed early in 1897, is surveyed through Latrobe, and will aid in the further development of the city.

Price furnished on application.

\$7,000 Ludington, Michigan, Funding 5's.

Dated December 2, 1895. Maturities shown below. Interest payable annually at the First National Bank of Ludington. Coupons may be collected through our New York, Boston or Chicago office, free. Denomination, \$1,000.
True value of property, estimated..... \$4,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 1,325,735
Total debt, this issue included..... 49,370
Population, 2,244 (State census, 1894).

Ludington, an important lake port and lumbering center, is situated in the northwestern part of the State, at the mouth of the Marquette River. Lines of schooners and propellers run from Ludington to all the principal ports on Lake Michigan. The City is made still more prominent as a shipping point, by the Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad, which connects it with Saginaw, Port Huron, Detroit, and Toledo on Lakes Huron, and Erie.

Lumber and salt constitute the chief industries of Ludington. In addition to shingle mills and basket factories, there are three planing mills and five saw mills here. In fact, over \$1,250,000 of capital is directly invested in the lumber business. Salt is obtained from wells 2,000 feet deep, and is largely exported. Fruit raising is becoming an important occupation.

Ludington is the county seat of Mason County, and is supplied with water and electric light by private corporations.
The bonds mature:
\$1,000 December 31, 1906 \$1,000 December 31, 1910
1,000 December 31, 1907 1,000 December 31, 1911
1,000 December 31, 1908 1,000 December 31, 1912
1,000 December 31, 1909

Price of any maturity on application.
\$5,000 Village of Pender, Nebraska, Water Works 6's.
Dated June 1, 1894. Interest payable annually, and both principal and interest payable at the Nebraska State Fiscal Agency, New York. Denomination, \$500.
These bonds mature in twenty years, and although by law required to be optional after five years, the officials certify that they will probably run the full term. A copy of this certificate will be sent upon application.
True value of property, estimated..... \$325,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 132,938
This issue is the only debt..... 10,000
Population, 1,000.

These bonds were authorized at an election held April 17, 1894, and the proceeds were used for building a water works system, owned and operated by the Village. Pender is the county seat of Thurston County, located in the extreme eastern part of the State, only 70 miles north of Omaha, on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad. Thurston is the third county north of Omaha, and is a good farming and stock raising county, and Pender is the principal shipping point for stock raised in that vicinity. The excellent financial management of the county is shown by the fact that its debt is only \$1,000, while the present series of water bonds is the only debt of the Village of Pender.
The bonds are duly registered by the Auditor of Public Accounts, whose certificate that bonds are legally issued is endorsed on each bond.

Price par and interest, netting 6 per cent.
Ashland, Wisconsin, Water Company.
\$12,000 First Mortgage 6's.
Dated June 1, 1889. Due June 1, 1899. Interest payable June and December at the office of the Trustee, the Illinois Trust and Savings Bank, of Chicago, or in New York, at the option of the bondholder. Denomination, \$1,000.
This plant has been in successful operation for over ten years, and its prosperous condition is shown by the annual net earnings which are now sufficient to pay the interest on the total bonded debt over two and a half times. The city hydrant rental has been assigned direct to the Trustee to pay interest on the bonds, and there is a strong sinking fund provision which will become operative in 1899 (two years). These are two features which we consider specially desirable in a water company bond.
Send for Special Circular, giving price and full details.

\$5,000 Emmetsburg, Iowa, Water 6's.

Dated November 10, 1895. Due ten years from date. Optional after five years. Interest payable May 10 and November 10, at the First National Bank of Emmetsburg. Coupons may be collected through our New York, Boston or Chicago house, free. Denomination, \$1,000.
True value of property, estimated..... \$1,200,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 330,274
Total debt, all for water..... 14,000
Population, 3,000.
Constitutional limit of debt, five per cent.

Emmetsburg, the county seat of Palo Alto County, is a thrifty city in north-central Iowa, on the Des Moines River. Aside from being the commercial center of a rich agricultural county, Emmetsburg is of considerable local importance on account of its manufacturing interests. The bottling of mineral waters, pork-packing and the manufacture of brick, wagons and farming implements are the chief industries. The City has good schools and churches, and is the seat of St. Mary's School.

Price 106½ and interest, netting 4½ per cent for five years and 6 per cent thereafter.

\$26,500 Knox County, Indiana, Drainage 6's.
Dated March 20, 1895. Maturing in series as shown below. Interest payable March 20 and September 20, at National Park Bank, New York. Denomination, \$500.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF COUNTY.
True value of property, estimated..... \$30,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 15,575,465
General debt..... \$ 58,604
Drainage debt..... 140,572
Total debt..... 199,176
(Ratio of debt less than 1 to 2 per cent. of assessment.)
Population, 33,000.
Constitutional limit of debt, two per cent.

Knox County is situated in the southwestern part of the State, its western boundary forming part of the State line between Indiana and Illinois. Three lines of railroad traverse the county, all of them passing through Vincennes, the county seat.
The bonds mature in annual installments, thus gradually reducing the debt of the county without burden to the taxpayer.
The bonds mature as follows:
\$3,500 March 20, 1897 \$3,000 March 20, 1903
3,000 March 20, 1898 1,500 March 20, 1904
3,000 March 20, 1899 500 March 20, 1905
3,000 March 20, 1900 3,000 March 20, 1906
3,500 March 20, 1901 1,200 March 20, 1909
3,000 March 20, 1902

Price of any maturity on application.

\$3,500 Sherman, Texas, Refunding 6's.
Dated October 10, 1895. Maturing in series as shown below. Interest payable April 10 and October 10. Principal and interest both payable at the National Park Bank of New York City. Denomination, \$500.
Assessed valuation for taxation..... \$4,600,000
Total debt, this issue included..... 220,006
Less water debt (works owned by city)..... 81,000
Net debt..... 139,006
Population, 11,000.

The bonds mature as follows:
\$1,500 due October 10, 1897 \$1,500 due October 10, 1898
\$500 due October 10, 1899

Price of any maturity on application.

\$18,000 Pittsburg, Pa., School District 4½'s.
(18th Ward.)

Dated October 1, 1896. Maturing in series. Average life, 13 years. Interest payable April 1 and October 1, at the Lincoln National Bank of Pittsburg. These bonds are free of taxes in Pennsylvania. Denomination, \$1,000.
FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF DISTRICT.
Assessed valuation of property..... \$7,790,175
Total debt, this issue included..... 110,000
Ratio of debt less than 1½ per cent.
Present Population, 10,000.

These bonds were issued by the "Minersville School District," whose limits are coterminous with those of the Thirteenth Ward of Pittsburg. The district is one of the largest in the city, including a territory one and a half miles long and one mile in width—strictly residence property, and some of it especially desirable on account of its high elevation. Grant Boulevard, now in the process of construction, will pass through the District and Herron Hill Park, wholly within its limits is also an attractive feature.

With ready means of rapid transit to the down town portions of the city, high elevation and the substantial class of residents, this district is one whose assessed valuation will undoubtedly increase from year to year. This fact, and the strong financial statement of the District, are evidences enough that these bonds are a safe and desirable investment.

Price of any maturity to net 3½ per cent.

\$8,000 Washington, Indiana, Funding 6's.
Dated July 1, 1896. \$4,000 due July 1, 1903 and \$4,000, July 1, 1904. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, at the banking house of N. W. Harris & Company, New York City. Denomination, \$500.
True value of property, estimated..... \$5,000,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 3,058,840
Total debt, this issue included..... \$61,000
Less sinking fund..... 2,318
Net debt..... \$8,682
Population, 10,000.
Constitutional limit of debt, two per cent.

These bonds were issued by the City of Washington for the purpose of refunding part of an original block of \$40,000 eight per cent. school bonds, issued in 1876.
Washington, the county seat of Daviess County, is situated in the southwestern part of Indiana, about twenty miles east of Vincennes. The City has several industrial enterprises of local importance, such as flouring mills, a woolen mill and foundries. Manufacture is profitable here owing to the cheap fuel obtained from the coal mines near by. But the wealth of the community has come largely from agriculture.
Daviess County, lying between two forks of the White River, is a section noted for its fertility, and probably nowhere in the State are the corn crops heavier. With the Evansville & Terra Haute and the Baltimore & Ohio centering at Washington, the growth of the City as the commercial center of the County has continued without interruption.

Price on application.

\$5,000 Ogle County, Illinois, Township 5's.
(Registered by State Auditor.)

Maturities shown below. Annual interest payable June 1, at the State Treasurer's office, Springfield, Illinois. Coupons may be collected through our New York, Boston or Chicago house, free. Denomination, \$500.
True value of property, estimated..... \$2,200,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 545,858
Total debt, this issue included..... \$7,600
Population, over 4,000.

These Mount Morris Township, Ogle County, bonds were issued under the well-known Illinois Refunding Act of 1879, thus constituting a quasi-state obligation. The Township includes the village of Mount Morris and considerable adjacent territory—in all, thirty-six square miles of fertile land in one of the foremost agricultural counties of the State. Mount Morris is an old and conservative community, only twenty miles southeast of Freeport.

The bonds mature:
\$ 500 June 1, 1899 \$1,000 June 1, 1902
1,500 June 1, 1900 1,000 June 1, 1903
1,000 June 1, 1901

Price on application.

\$11,000 City of Princeton, Missouri, 5's.
(Water Works and Electric Light Bonds.)

Dated June 1, 1896. Due in twenty years. Optional after five years. Interest payable January 1 and July 1, at the Union National Bank of Chicago. Denomination, \$500.
True value of property, estimated..... \$1,225,000
Assessed valuation for taxation..... 407,446
This issue is the only debt..... 16,500
Population, 1,700.
Constitutional limit of debt, five per cent.

Princeton, the county seat of Mercer County, is situated on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway, less than fifteen miles from the Iowa state line. Surrounded by an excellent farming country, the support of the City is assured. The Princeton Normal School is located here and together with good public schools and churches, gives the City considerable local importance as an educational center.
Prior to this issue of bonds, Princeton was entirely free from debt. Even after the water works have been constructed and the electric light plant built, the total municipal debt will be less than one and a-half per cent. of the estimated real value of property within the city limits.
The affairs of Mercer County have also been very conservatively managed, for, although in 1869, there was an issue of \$200,000 bonds in aid of a railroad, these were paid in full at maturity (without contest) so that the County's indebtedness is now merely nominal.

Price par and interest.

The figures herein showing assessed valuation, debt, etc., have been taken from official returns and statements of public officers, and while we do not guarantee them, they are published by us as the official figures.
This firm DOES NOT ACT AS BROKER, or buy or sell on MARGIN, but buys and sells bonds for its OWN ACCOUNT, and all statements in this circular are the firm's opinion, based upon information it regards as entirely reliable, being the data upon which we ourselves have acted in our purchase and valuation of the securities offered.
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METROPOLITAN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY,
 OF KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI,
 Consolidated Mortgage Five Per Cent Bonds.

Both Principal and Interest Payable in Gold Coin of the United States of the present standard of weight and fineness.

BONDS MAY BE REGISTERED.

Dated May 1, 1895. Due May 1, 1910. No Option. Trustee, Old Colony Trust Company, Boston.
 Principal and May and November interest payable at the office of the Trustee.

These bonds are secured by mortgage on the entire Metropolitan Street Railway system, serving practically the entire territory of Kansas City, Missouri, Kansas City, Kansas, and the surrounding suburbs containing a population of over 200,000.

On June 1, 1895, the Metropolitan Street Railway Company acquired the properties formerly owned by the Kansas City Cable Railway Company, Grand Avenue Railway Company, Kansas City & Independence Rapid Transit Company, West Side Railway Company, and also acquired the controlling interest in the stock of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company. The gross mileage of the combined systems is 134.95 miles of single track.

The Official Report and Balance Sheet of the Company, dated June 1, 1896, show the following:

Capital Stock	\$5,586,800
Bonds outstanding	7,519,000

EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

Year ending June 1, 1895:—

Gross earnings	\$1,544,160.58
Operating expenses, including taxes	906,941.53
Net earnings	\$ 637,219.05

Year ending June 1, 1896:—

Gross earnings	\$1,622,888.48
Operating expenses, including taxes	934,815.12
Net earnings	\$ 688,073.36
Interest on bonds	364,564.46
Surplus earnings	\$ 323,508.90

The above does not include the earnings of the Kansas City Elevated Railway Company, the interest on whose bonds has been guaranteed by the Metropolitan Street Railway Company. This guarantee is an obligation of the Company, *but not a lien.*

The Company has expended a large amount of money in the past year in improving, bettering and extending its system, and it is expected by the officers that the result of these improvements will show increased earnings during the ensuing year.

The Metropolitan Street Railway Company was organized in 1886 and the system has been successfully operated under the present management for the past ten years, and has paid dividends on its capital stock every year, except one, since its incorporation. The report of the Company shows payment of dividends for the fiscal year ending June 1, 1896, amounting to \$111,736, and the transference to surplus account of \$151,934.06.

The topographical situation of Kansas City is particularly favorable for the development of a large street railway traffic, and the city is now on a thoroughly substantial basis and its prospects for the future are most promising. The Company's franchises are favorable in their terms and extend until 1925, or *15 years after the maturity of this issue of bonds.*

Considering the good physical condition of the property, its conservative management and occupation of all the available territory, we are satisfied that *the security back of these bonds will steadily increase, and that the bonds themselves will enhance in value.*

The bonds were purchased by us after a thorough investigation, and we recommend them as a safe and desirable investment.

The legality was passed upon by local attorneys and by Messrs. Seward, Guthrie, Morawetz & Steele, of New York City, whose opinion will be furnished if desired.

Additional information furnished on application.

These bonds are offered on very attractive terms. Write or wire for price.

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(Incorporated Under the Laws of Kentucky)

LOUISVILLE, KY.

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The Company has a fully paid-up guarantee capital of \$500,000, which is invested in first mortgage securities and maintained as a permanent fund for the benefit of the contract-holders.

Guaranteed Protection.

As a consideration for the use of the monthly sums paid into the Investment and Guarantee Department (which in the case of a loan it has the use of until such time as the mortgage must be satisfied, and of investments until the contracts are paid off or matured), and without additional cost to the patrons of the Company, this department guarantees absolute protection to all

purchasers of its monthly payment contracts for investment, as well as to such as borrow money from its Loan Department.

Should contract holders be prevented from following their usual occupation by being disabled through external, violent or accidental means, this department of the Company will pay from its Guarantee Fund, all the deposits or payments required, under their contract with the Company, during the term of such disability, which is limited to 26 consecutive weeks in any one year, and not to exceed 217 weeks during the continuance of such contract, viz.: On the contracts limited to 100 months, or on a loan covering the same period. In case of death all further deposits or payments required to mature a contract or to cancel a loan will be paid from the Guarantee Fund, without, as above stated, any further cost to the holders or their legal representatives.

Our 100 Monthly Payment Contract.

CLASS A.—MORTGAGE OR SALE. Our contracts, in any class, are sold only upon order, bank forms for which may be had from any of the Company representatives, or from the Company itself upon application. Contracts are issued only in even hundred-dollar amounts, from \$100 upward. At the time signing of an order in Class "A," the purchaser of a contract is required to make an advance deposit or employment fee of 1 per cent. of the face value of the contract applied for, or \$1 for each \$100 called for in the order. This advance payment may be made to an

authorized representative of this Company, or to the Company direct. No further payments will be required aside from the regular monthly deposit or payment necessary, according to the age of the applicant at the time of signing the order, which is shown in the following table. These monthly payments remain the same in amount throughout the whole life of the contract.

THE COMPANY ABSOLUTELY GUARANTEES THAT THE NUMBER OF MONTHLY DEPOSITS OR PAYMENTS REQUIRED ON A CONTRACT IN CLASS "A" SHALL NOT EXCEED ONE HUNDRED.

Under 25 years.....	50 cents per \$100
25 to 35 years.....	50 cents per 100
35 to 45 years.....	50 cents per 100
45 to 55 years.....	50 cents per 100
55 to 65 years.....	50 cents per 100

ALL MONTHLY DEPOSITS WILL BE DUE AND PAYABLE ON OR BEFORE THE LAST SATURDAY OF EACH MONTH WITHOUT NOTICE, commencing with the month in which the contract bears date, as explained here, in under heading, "How to Remit." All contracts shall be issued in series, and if the application therefor is received before the 15th day of the month, the contract shall be dated the first business day of the month in which application is received, and if received after the 15th, shall be dated the first business day of the succeeding month.

Illustration, Class A.

Showing positively limited cost to the investor or non-borrower at any age under 25,

on a \$2,000 one hundred monthly-payment contract in this class, including the guaranteed protection explained on pages 1 and 2.

Advance payment on a \$100 contract..... \$ 20 00
Monthly deposits or payments on a \$2000 contract, at age 25 (50 cents per \$100 per month) limited to 100 months—87½ years..... \$1,020 00

Total limited cost..... \$1,020 00
Face value of contract at maturity..... \$2,000 00
Deficit actual cost..... 1,020 00

No profit..... \$ 980 00
There is no absolutely guaranteed contract, pertaining to the investment of money, that will equal or compare with this 100 monthly-payment contract issued by the KENTUCKY GUARANTEE COMPANY.

Deposits or Payments in Arrears.

If any deposits or payments due to the Company on any of its contracts are not paid when due, a penalty will be imposed for each payment for each and all months in which such amounts may be in arrears, in accordance with the By-Laws as follows: SEC. 14. Any Contract-holder who fails to make any payment when due upon the monthly installments upon Class "A" Contracts, shall be subject to a fine of one-tenth of one per cent. of the face value of his Contract for the first month or part of a month such installments shall be in default, and two-tenths of one per cent. of the face value

of his Contract for the second month or part of a month such installments shall be in default; and three-tenths of one per cent. of the face value of his Contract for the third month or part of a month such installments shall be in default and three-tenths of one per cent. of the face value of his Contract for each subsequent month or part of a month such installment shall be in default up to the sixth month, when his contract shall lapse. Any Contract-holder who has failed to make his monthly payments, fines or other proper charges shall not be in good standing.

Guaranteed, Dividend-bearing Contracts.

CLASS "B."—To accommodate persons not wishing to make monthly payments, this contract has been provided. It is paid for in one single sum of fifty dollars (\$50) for each one hundred dollars (\$100) named in the order and contract. Holders of these contracts will receive a dividend of 6 per cent. per annum (which is guaranteed by the Company), payable semi-annually, on the 15th days of January and July in each year. The surplus or profits earned by the money invested in these contracts, over and above the 6 per cent. paid out as dividends, will be credited to the contract until it reaches par, or matures. It will then be cancelled by the Company, and the holder will be paid the face value—i. e., \$100 for each \$50 originally invested in it. The amount paid, together with dividends declared and unpaid, may be drawn out at

any time after one year from date of contract, by giving sixty days' written notice on blanks furnished by the Company. But such notice is not binding unless the Secretary shall receive the same, together with the certificate of contract, upon some *dividend or dividend pay-day*. Interest on all classes of contracts shall cease on the day notice of withdrawal is received at the Louisville office.

NOTE.—If application for withdrawal be made after the 15th year, the full book value will be paid.

CLASS "C" or Fully-paid Contracts.

In consideration of the advance payment of one hundred (\$100) dollars, or multiples thereof, a certificate is issued, FULLY PAID AND NON-ASSURABLE. Upon this certificate a semi-annual dividend of four (4) per cent., eight (8) per cent. per annum, is paid; but it does not share in the profits of the Company. And the Company reserves the right to call in and cancel these certificates at any time after one year.

The funds invested in either of the above classes may be withdrawn, after one year, by giving the Company sixty (60) days' notice of such withdrawal, in writing on blanks furnished by the Company, at the time of the maturity of an interest coupon.

Life Membership.

This Company issues to its contract holders a Life Membership Certificate, which is transferable.

In event of contract holders being compelled to withdraw, they can resume their

contract with this Company at any time without further cost; or they may sell and have transferred their receipt to any person at any time, provided, however, the purchaser can satisfactorily answer the questions given in the application for a Contract.

Loan Illustration.

Showing the cost of a \$1,000 loan, and the guaranteed protection as offered by this Company:

Advance payment on a \$2,000 contract..... \$ 20 00
Interest, say at 6 per cent. (\$80.00 per year)..... 500 00
\$100.00 per month, including principal and protection for 100 months..... 1,000 00

Total cost of loan and protection..... \$ 1,520 00
Amount of loan..... 1,000 00
Total cost for interest and protection, as explained on pages 1 and 2..... \$ 520 00

This illustration is based on the age of 24 years.

Loans on the Company's Contracts.

The holder of a contract which has been in force for six months and more, and upon which there are no deposits or payments in arrears, may obtain a loan upon it without further security, not to exceed ninety per cent. of its surrender value.

Repaying Loans.

Loans may be repaid at any time, in accordance with the rules of the Company, upon giving 60 days' notice.

Surrender of Contracts.

Holders of Class A contracts on which no loans have been made, and which are in good standing, may surrender them at any time after six months and be entitled to receive the full amount paid upon them monthly into the Loan Fund (namely, 50c per month for each \$500 of face value of contract), after giving thirty days' written notice. In addition to the above amount, when such contracts have been in force for six months to and including the second year, they will receive 6 per cent. interest for the average time. The third year, 7 per cent. The fourth and fifth years, 8 per cent. The sixth, or any subsequent year up to maturity, the full proportion of accreted earnings to date. Or, they may stop paying and allow the amount of its value to stand and accumulate until the contract matures, or, they may exchange for Class B or C contracts. The amount of a contract may be reduced at any time by surrendering it, and sending in one dollar for changing record, etc. A new contract will be issued for a less amount, extended as far as the credits on the old contract in the Loan Fund will permit. Not to exceed 50 per cent. of the monthly deposits credited to the Loan Fund can be used for paying off surrendered contracts in any one month without the consent of the Board of Directors.

CONTRACTS MAY BE TRANSFERRED at any time, if no loan has been made upon them and they are in good standing, by filling out the transfer blanks on same, and sending to

the Louisville Office, accompanied by \$1. Purchasers must fill out a regular order blank and make the regular monthly deposits or payments according to their age at the time of signing the order.

Loan Fund.

This fund consists of (1), 40 cents for each \$500, named in any 100 monthly payment contract in force, which is taken from each monthly deposit or payment made thereon. (2), a corresponding amount from all other periodical payment contracts. (3), interest, (4), penalties. (5), profits from surrendered or lapsed contracts. (6), all sums received from the sale of Class B and C contracts. One per cent. (per value) per annum from the profits of the last named contracts is paid into the Guarantee Fund. The Loan Fund is turned over to the Loan Department, from which it is loaned out upon first mortgages on real estate.

Guarantee Fund.

This fund consists of all moneys not belonging to the Loan Fund. It is used for making guaranteed protective payments, as set forth under "Guaranteed Protection," and for the expenses of the Company.

The Kentucky Guarantee Company is the originator, "not endorser" of the plan of combining all the best features of Life, Accident, and Building and Loan Associations, in one contract; hence, placing in the hands of its patrons all the various forms of protection, as well as a first-class investment.

The principal advantage of having the above features under one contract and one management is the great saving of the expense to the contract-holders, as it is a well recognized fact that an institution of this kind can be conducted as cheaply as either a Life, Accident or Building and Loan Association; thus we save at least two-thirds of their combined expenses. We give below a few

Possible Questions and Positive Answers.

Q. What is the Kentucky Guarantee Company?

A. It is an investment company which makes a contract and guarantees it with its own money.

Q. In what manner does it guarantee its contracts?

A. By having a Guarantee Capital Stock of \$100,000—fully paid.

Q. What is the object of sustaining a Guarantee Fund?

A. To give a substantial guarantee that their payments will be kept up for them in case they meet with accidents or death.

Q. How long will you keep up the payments for a contract holder who is disabled by accident?

A. Not more than 26 weeks in any one year, or 217 weeks during the continuance of the contract.

Q. What if a contract holder should die?

A. In the event of the death of a contract holder, this Company files its bond

with the heirs of the deceased to make all the balance of the payments due on the contract and pay them the full face value of their contract—at maturity.

Q. How many kinds of contracts do you issue?

A. Three kinds, Installment, or Class "A," Prepaid, or Class "B," and Fully Paid, or Class "C."

Q. What are installment or Class "A" contracts?

A. They are serial contracts of the par value of \$500.00, and are paid for by making a monthly payment of from 50 cents to 60 cents, according to age at the time of making application.

Q. How many payments are required to mature a contract?

A. The monthly deposits, or payments, are forevermore limited to one limited.

Q. What is the cost of prepaid, or Class "B" contracts?

A. Prepaid contracts are sold at \$50 per \$100 of face value, in advance, upon which we pay a 6 per cent. dividend in cash, payable semi-annually.

Q. Is there any other profit on Class "B" contracts?

A. Yes. The balance of the profits earned over 6 per cent. (paid in cash semi-annually) is added to the \$50, and when the accrued earnings, added to the principal paid in, equal \$100, it shall be matured.

Q. What are fully paid, or Class "C" contracts?

A. Fully paid, or Class "C" contracts, are sold at \$500—"Full face," cash in advance, upon which a total dividend of 8 per cent. is paid; payable semi-annually.

Q. How do you loan your money, and at what percentage of value?

A. We loan our money on first mortgage real estate, at 50 per cent. of its value; also 90 per cent. of the withdrawal value of a contract.

Q. What benefits do the borrowers receive in case of accidents or death?

A. The payments of principal and interest are made for the borrowers on the same conditions as for the investors.

HOW TO REMIT.

All deposits or payments due to this Company must be sent to the Secretary, at the office in Louisville in order to receive credit. Contract holders may, however, entrust such remittances to legally authorized collectors, to be sent to the Company, but at their own risk. Remittances must be made either by post-office orders, express orders, drafts or registered letters.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

NO REPRESENTATIVE OR AGENT OF THIS COMPANY HAS AUTHORITY OR POWER TO MAKE ANY TERMS, CONDITIONS OR CONTRACTS, NOT IN ACCORD WITH OR OTHER THAN, AS STATED IN THE BY-LAWS ISSUED BY THE COMPANY ITSELF; NOR TO INVOLVE THE COMPANY IN ANY INTERESTS, NOR TO PROMISE LOANS. ALL NEGOTIATIONS RESPECTING LOANS MUST BE MADE WITH THE COMPANY DIRECTLY.

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TELEPHONE 1100.

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FULLY PAID

\$100,000.00.

Contract Holders have their

PAYMENTS GUARANTEED

IN CASE OF ACCIDENT,
IN CASE OF DEATH.

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THE BULLETIN comes to you again on the eve of the twenty-sixth year of its publication, and we trust that this one, like those which preceded it, may prove the harbinger of glad tidings to many more who desire to cast their lot amongst us in this favored land upon which nature has bestowed with so lavish a hand the elements of its greatness, a superior soil and a delightful climate. From the very liberal and varied list presented we are prepared to fill every class of demand. Guided by an intimate knowledge of the relative and intrinsic value of the lands of this section, we have refused every entry that in our judgment was priced above the market current of its class. When you consider the many superior and unequal advantages which we justly claim of developed internal improvements, Lexington now a great railroad center, connecting it not only with the various capitals of the Blue Grass counties, but with the entire Union, of our many noted institutions of learning, of the exceeding fertility and matchless beauty of the country and perfection of climate, and include these paramount advantages with the prices at which you can now buy our fine country homes, the conclusion is an irresistible one, that they are the very cheapest lands on earth. The appreciation of values which steadily continue are influenced and governed only by the correct law of supply and demand, and consequently they have a basis of permanency and an immunity from fluctuation, and it is fair to presume that your purchase of to-day can not be duplicated in another year. Bluegrass Kentucky! The very name which has long been a synonym of all that constitutes an ideal country. We who are to the manor born, can not realize the boon of Providence in our birthright to such a section. But the stranger coming among us finds it a very Eldorado. Here he has a full scope for the energy and enterprise which he has ac-

quired in the competition for a livelihood in places where nature has been less lavish in her gifts. Transplanted here we soon find him ahead of us in material growth in the various enterprises which offer to him inducements on every hand, and which we have in so great a degree overlooked and neglected. This is the element, be it native or alien, with the brain and brawn which constitutes the superstructure upon which is builded the material and abiding wealth of every community. The Blue Grass Land Agency will continue to be the medium to locate these as well as the capitalist, and the seekers after homes upon which to enjoy the accumulations of finished business lives, wishing them all God-speed and the full fruition of their fondest

City Properties.

We carry a large list of various kinds of city property, including locations for manufactories, building lots, residences and business houses. We have many special bargains to offer in the same.

We are permitted by every banking house and prominent business firm in this city and section to refer to them with regard to our responsibility and business integrity.

FREE TURNPIKES.

Fayette County has 250 miles of free turnpike and the fact is assured that in a short time the remainder will be thrown open to the public. The same move-

cisterns. Large fish pond. Fruits of every variety abundant. Improvements, two story brick dwelling, 7 rooms basement under whole. A brick and a frame tenant's house, each of 4 rooms. Large stock and tobacco barn, ice house. Dairy over spring. Fine land. Price \$9,000, 1/2 cash, long time on balance. Sold to close up an estate. Lies south of Lexington.

3

75-acre farm 6 miles from Lexington on a turnpike. Mostly in grass. Improved with a neat farm cottage 6 rooms, two story tenant's house, large tobacco and stock barn, stables and others. Fine water from springs. Dairy house over one. Fruits, shade trees. Good fencing. Good repair all over. It is a good bargain certainly at \$8,250. Lies west of Lexington.

4

Nearly 50-acre home about 2 1/2 miles from Lexington on turnpike. Fine land, well improved with a neat frame cottage of 5 rooms. Tenant's house 4 rooms. Stock barn. Well watered by pools, cistern and well. Plenty of fruit of all kinds. Improvements

Will sell at \$27 per acre or will take in exchange a store with stock of dry goods, or horses and jacks.

8

68-acre place on the edge of Danville, Boyle county, Ky. Nice frame dwelling, covered training track, 70 box stalls attached; 2 other stables, four 5 acre paddocks; water well distributed; fine fruits; everything for comfort and convenience. Danville is noted for its Centre College and other educational schools, and for elegant society.

9

125-acre farm, 3 miles from Lexington, on turnpike and right at a depot. Fine land, improved, with a 2-story brick dwelling and usual outhouses stock barn and others; apple orchard and other fruits; good water. This is a very desirable home in all particulars. Price to suit the times. Lies north of Lexington.

10

50-acre home, within the toll-gate, on one of our leading pikes. Handsomely improved with a 2-story 10-room dwelling. Fine water from a notably great spring near the house. Plenty of fruits. No more pleasant home around the city. Price attractive. Lies north of Lexington.

11

58-acre place, one mile from King's Mountain Station, on the Cincinnati Southern railroad, and thirteen miles from Stanford, 25 acres. Small house. Green river, a great fishing stream, within three-quarters of a mile. Fine scenery and different health-giving waters. A cheap summer resort for some one at \$700.

12

327-acre farm, 10 miles from Lexington, on turnpike. This is good land; a large portion suitable for hemp and tobacco; out of native sod; well improved with a large 2-story brick dwelling; stock and tobacco barn, etc. One of the largest and best apple orchards in the county. Cheapest farm in the county at \$40 per acre. Lies south of Lexington.

13

100-acre farm, 5 miles from Lexington on a turnpike, 1/4 in Bluegrass and clover, remainder in garden cultivation, improved with a neat frame cottage of good size and all the usual out houses. Young apple orchard and various small fruits. Good water and fencing. This is good land for any crops and a very great bargain at the price, \$60 per acre. Lies south of Lexington.

14

220-acre farm, 6 miles from Lexington, on a turnpike, also close to a railroad depot and village. 30 acres in virgin sod, 50 in clover, a large percent of this farm is good hemp and tobacco land. Fine water from living springs; 4 acres in apple orchard, very fine; 25 to 30 acres woodland and tenant house; dwelling, 7 rooms; large barn for stock and storage, also tobacco barn and numerous other outhouses. Lies west of Lexington. Price attractive.

15

108-acre fruit farm, 3 miles from Fort Worth, Tex.; 50 acres in peaches, pears, apricots, plums and blackberries, all in full bearing and very profitable. Two medium-sized dwellings; windmill distributes fine water over the entire place; large stock barn; balance of farm in grass and general cultivation. Also in Fort Worth a desirable residence. Will sell at a great bargain, or exchange for a farm near Lexington, Ky.

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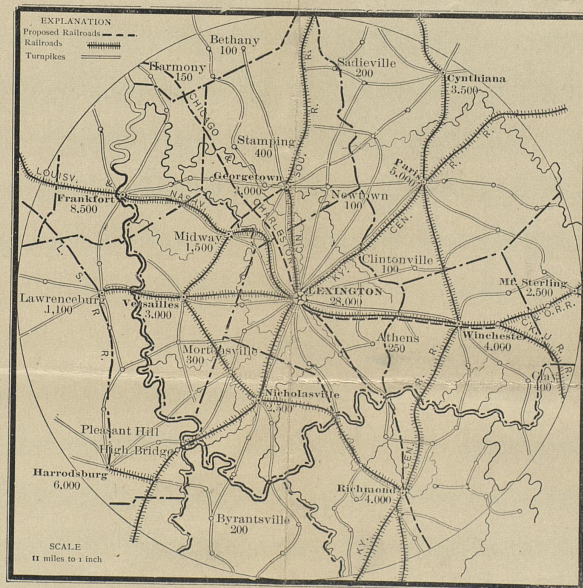
92 acres of very good land, 6 miles from Lexington, on turnpike. Much of it good hemp and tobacco soil; has hemp barn and tenant house; good fencing and water. Lies south of Lexington. Price, only \$45 per acre.

17

27-acre place in Jessamine county on the Union Mills pike, 6 miles from Nicholasville. Improved with a 5-room house and usual outhouses; well watered and fenced. A nice little home for some one, at small money.

18

42 1/2-acre fruit farm in Boyle county, Kentucky, 3 miles east of Danville. Improved with a two-story frame cottage of 5 rooms; also tenant's house; large stock barn, tobacco barn, ice house and others. Good water and best fencing. Apples, peaches and grapes abundant; 5 1/2 acres in small fruits. Price only \$4,000.



hopes in this fruitful, generous land where the conditions in the race for livelihood and of wealth are so equitably and so beautifully harmonized.

If you see anything in the following list that impresses you favorably, write us for further particulars, and you will be answered promptly—or better, come and examine. UPON WHATEVER YOU CONCLUDE, ACT PROMPTLY, AS ANY OF THEM ARE LIKELY TO BE SOLD AT ANY TIME.

We are each natives, to the manor born, and practical agriculturalists and stockmen, here for thirty odd years. We are therefore prepared to render you invaluable assistance in making your investment.

ment is being made by all of the other counties in the Bluegrass Section and with the same assurance of success. This will certainly enhance the value and advance the price of every acre of land in these counties.

1

184 acres superior good land 8 miles from Lexington by and on turnpike 2 1/2 miles and midway between depots on two roads. Has all been in grass for 25 years; 80 acres growing hemp, etc., now. Well fenced and watered; tenant's house and some outbuildings. Here is the poor man's chance. Only \$60 per acre; 1/2 cash, balance on long time; yearly payments. Few such bargains. Lies east of Lexington.

2

102 acres 4 miles from Lexington on a pike; 25 acres in grass; balance to be sown to grain and grass this fall. Well watered by living springs, wells,

nearly new. This is a well located place for a market garden or one doing business in the city. Price \$6,000. Lies east of Lexington.

5

117-acre farm on pike, 8 miles from Lexington by rail and pike and close to two depots. Nearly all fine hemp and tobacco land; 10 acres woodland; improved with a 2 story 8 room frame dwelling; tobacco barn; 3 stables; watered by 3 ponds, 3 cisterns and a well; churches and schools close; lies east of Lexington. Price \$80 per acre.

6

9-acre home pleasantly situated on a turnpike 3 miles from Lexington. Improved with a comfortable 2 story frame dwelling and some outhouses; good water and some fruit; well suited for a market garden; lies north of Lexington. Price \$1,800.

7

100-acre farm at Kingsville, on the Stanford Somerset pike, most of it being in timber. It is 2 miles from Kingsville, 1 1/4 miles from Waynesburg. Has small dwelling and a large barn.

19
205-acre farm, 5 miles from Lexington on turnpike. Fine land, all of it. Will sell as a whole or will divide into three farms, each of which will be well improved. This land is about all suitable for hemp and tobacco. It is well fenced and watered. Lies south of Lexington.

20
80-acre farm, 5 miles from Lexington, at pikes crossing and near to depot; 2-story frame dwelling of 6 rooms and all outbuildings for such sized place. Lies south of Lexington. Price \$95 per acre.

21
168-acre farm 6 miles from Lexington on turnpike. 120 acres in Blue Grass soil; other is strong land; improved with a 10 room frame dwelling; 2 barns and a stable and other outbuildings; nearly all the fencing is new post and rail; good water abundant; 10 acres in woodland. This is a farm you can go in debt on, having so much strong land; lies east of Lexington. Price \$80 per acre.

22
215-acre farm in Jessamine county, Ky., on the Nicholasville and Clear Creek pikes, 2 miles from Keene, a railroad village, 5 miles from Nicholasville, the county seat. 35 acres in grass, 25 being woodland, balance cultivated in hemp, tobacco, &c.; well watered by ponds, living springs, wells and cisterns; comfortable brick dwelling; two large tobacco barns; other outbuildings and also tenant's house; 100 acres now for tobacco and hemp; fruits; good fencing. It is regarded one of the very best farms in the county. Price \$70 per acre.

23
25-acre place in Jessamine county, Ky., 1 mile from Nicholasville, the county seat. New cottage, 5 rooms and all needed outbuildings; a very pleasant, cheap home, at \$2,000.

24
The following property is offered in exchange for farm in Central Kentucky: "The Cedars," one of the finest homes in Meridian, Miss., with one acre of ground, 40 acres of land near that city. Also the following Lexington, Ky., property: A building lot in South Broadway Park; nice residence on High Street. Will trade it all and pay difference if any.

25
90-acre farm, 3 miles from the city on a turnpike, and of superior quality and all in fine Bluegrass soil; has a pleasant cottage dwelling, a fine stock barn and various paddocks and lasting pure water, well distributed. One of the best arranged small farms about the city for rearing and handling horses. Price to suit the times. We want to sell. Lies north of Lexington.

26
3 small places in Scott county, Ky., near Georgetown, the county seat. One of 13 acres near Georgetown, with a 2-story frame dwelling of good size and finish; also barn and other useful outbuildings. A large orchard. A delightful home. Price \$3,000.

One of 10 acres joining has frame dwelling, 6 rooms and outbuildings. Price, \$1,000.

One with 1 acre of land, at the city limits, with frame house of 3 rooms and outbuildings. Price, \$500, or will exchange all of them for a larger farm.

27
98-acre farm of superior land, 6 miles from Lexington, on turnpike, and a mile of a depot. Substantial frame dwelling and every useful outbuilding requisite. Land in strong fertility; fencing good; water abundant; fruits various. It can be bought at a very reasonable figure, the owner being a widow and does not desire to farm. Lies west of Lexington.

28
140 acres of as good land as you often run across for small money. It is practically near Lexington, about five miles only, on good turnpike; is all in grass and ready for hemp or tobacco or any other crop requiring good strong land. All under good fencing, and one of the very best naturally watered farms in the county by living springs; improved with a good old-fashioned 2-story brick house and usual outbuildings. Large apple orchard and other fruits. This is a farm you can go in debt for and make the money from the land. Will make the price and the terms so you can take hold of and pay for it. Stop renting and own your own home. You can do it if you would only believe it, with a chance like this. Lies south of Lexington.

29
135-acre farm lying between Lexington, Varnallton depot on the L. & N. railroad and Georgetown, 8 miles from Lexington, 4 miles from Varnallton, 1 1/2 miles from Varnallton. This is in the very center of the finest farming land in the world by reputation. The land lies perfectly and is in the very highest state of fertility. It is also well and practically improved; 2-story dwelling, tobacco barn and plenty good land to fill it; stock stables, servants' house and all others required on a well equipped agricultural farm; water from which to make money, nor a more desirable home. Price \$90, lies north of Lexington.

30
80 acres nearly, and in 1 1/2 miles of the city limits, on the best pike entering the city. This is unimproved land, and is really the only tract of land of the kind that is for sale on the environs of Lexington. On the pike front is a beautiful woodland pasture, which affords one

of the best sites you ever saw for a dwelling. The land is not excelled in fertility by extent, it being a portion of the original farm of 300 acres we sold at \$150 per acre. We ask only that price for this small portion of the most noted farm in Central Kentucky. You have been asking us for something like this for a long time; something, we confess, difficult to find. Lies west of Lexington.

31
100 acres 4 miles out on turnpike and at pike crossing. Land lies very level and can't be excelled in good quality anywhere. Has a small cottage house. It is all tobacco and hemp land of the best. If you want a tract of fine land to improve so advantageously located we don't know where you can do better yourself. Land is all right and the price will be made to conform. Lies north of Lexington.

33
175-acre farm and one of the finest homes in Central Kentucky, and only about 4 miles from Lexington city limits, on one of the best pikes entering the city. Two story brick mansion house, several tenant's houses, several large tobacco barns, live stock, stable, well watered, tributes water from natural sources also; beautiful woodlands; farm under good fencing. The owner is not a farmer and does not want to leave. Made a mistake, he says, in quitting a business he understood, and is willing to give somebody the benefit of it by selling a great bargain to him. Will take as part payment some real Lexington resident property. Will divide and sell in two tracts about 100 acres with the improvements. Lies north of Lexington.

34
150-odd acre farm on a prominent turnpike, about 2 1/2 miles from Lexington city limits. It is nearly all in fine Bluegrass soil, being especially fitted up for that business with fine stock barn and stables in several paddocks. Besides a remarkable fine spring passing through the farm, a wind mill distributes water to various points. Nice woodland pasture; dwelling a 2 story brick and servants' and other outbuildings are in a handsome good of several acres. Fine apple orchard and other fruits. Good fencing. Land as good as the best. We will quote price and terms that will hasten a sale. Lies north of Lexington.

35
175 acres 2 miles from the county seat of the best county joining Fayette, 12 miles from Lexington by railroad and turnpike. Handsomely improved with a 2-story dwelling of 10 rooms, servants' house of 4 rooms, large tobacco barn, roomy stock stable and various other outbuildings all in good order. Water supply extra good from 5 living springs and brook through the farm 2 1/2 acres in bluegrass, 40 in fine timothy and clover, balance in general cultivation, hemp, tobacco, etc. This is one of the very best farms of the size in the entire Bluegrass, and at the price, \$85 per acre a very great bargain. Lies near Versailles.

36
144-acre farm in all particulars one of the most desirable in the State, 4 miles from Lexington, seat by rail and turnpike; depot near pikes radiate in several directions from the locality of the place. Splendid improvements, new 2 story frame dwelling, finished with hard wood, fine stock barn, servants' houses and every other outbuilding needed. Water great in pools filled by springs, well distributed; fruits fit all kinds; fencing all good; nothing more desirable for comfortable country life can be added. Land about equal in grass and cultivation. Farm close to several of the most noted blood horse farms in the country. Ten miles from Lexington by two railroads and several pikes. Owner desires to retire from active pursuits. One of the cheapest at the price, \$97 per acre, in the list. Lies north of Lexington.

37
216-acre farm in Shelby county, Ky., 6 miles from Shelbyville, the county seat, by the Smithfield and Shelbyville turnpike. Has a handsome residence in a fine acre woodland, 3 fine tobacco barns and land suitable for tobacco to fill them. Ample watered and under good fencing. This particular farm is located in one of the very best sections of good land in the State. The quality of tobacco it produces is very noted, always commanding a premium in every market. Community intelligent and refined, churches and schools abound. At \$60 per acre it should sell at once.

38
The following high classed lands are located at Brannon, Ky., on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad, six miles by rail from Lexington, and six miles from Nicholasville. The entire farm contains 100 acres, which we offer as a whole, or in three tracts, each improved as follows: No. 1 contains about 140 acres, about 40 acres in woodland, balance in clover and cultivation. Improvements are a large and substantial brick dwelling and numerous outbuildings, such as servants' barns, spring house, cistern, etc. No. 2 contains 50 acres, half of which is woodland. Improvements are a small frame cottage, stables, etc. Each tract fronts the turnpike close to churches, depot and postoffice and schools, and the whole farm is bounded by both free and toll pikes. For great fertility and natural beauty these lands are seldom surpassed, and are also especially adapted for grazing, there being permanent running water well distributed and shaded by forest trees. Lies west of Lexington.

39
500-acre farm 8 miles from Lexington by fine turnpike. About 200 acres of it is woodland, grass, timber fine, well watered and burr oak. Improved with a large substantial brick dwelling and numerous outbuildings for such sized place. This particular farm is sought by many to be the best within this range in Lexington. Owner lives abroad and sells to invest more convenient. You want the best, see this one at the price, \$100 per acre. Lies south of Lexington.

40
336-acre farm, 5 miles from Lexington by free turnpike. One hundred acres now ready for hemp and tobacco; 50 acres sown to wheat and 30 to rye; well watered by a brook and living springs in the dryest season; two pieces of woodland; improvements are all essentially and actually new. Dwelling a handsome frame of good size, servants' and tenants' houses, large tobacco barn, stock barn and many other outbuildings; apple orchard of good size; farm under good fencing. This is one of the richest pieces of land in the county for sale. It is being sold to close up an estate. It is a great farm indeed and cheap, very cheap at the price, \$80 per acre. Station, school house, post office in 1/4 mile. Will divide and sell, giving about 200 acres with the improvements. Lies east of Lexington.

41
210-acre farm, 5 miles west by turnpike from Lexington; 100 acres in blue grass, balance in hemp and other crops. Well watered by four living springs and a creek on one boundary. About eighty acres in open woodland. Improvements a substantial 2-story brick dwelling, with dry cellars, eighteen outbuildings, embracing barns, stables, servants' houses, etc. The price will be made to insure an early sale.

42
68-acre farm, 1 1/4 miles from Lexington city limits. It is improved with three neat frame cottages, tobacco barn, stables, etc., and is now yielding a rental of \$600 a year. Owner wishes to exchange it for a larger farm, further from the city. This affords an opportunity not often given in exchange of such property. Lies west of Lexington.

43
275 acres old blue grass soil, on a turnpike; improved with two cottages and a large tobacco barn, stables, etc., all new. Well fenced and lies perfectly. Cheapest place at the price near the city. Only \$75 per acre. Two crops of tobacco or hemp from this will more than pay for it. Title perfect. Will be sold at once at the price mentioned. Terms to suit you. Lies west of Lexington.

44
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45
25 1/2-acre home, 6 miles from Lexington on turnpike, and close to a flourishing village, with all the town advantages. Improvements all lately built, which consist of a nice two-story frame dwelling, 6 rooms, good barn and all other needed outbuildings for such sized place. This land, like all around it, is as good as any in the world; 18 acres in grass, young apple orchard. It is a decidedly fine bargain at \$3,250. Lies west of Lexington.

46
260-odd-acre farm, and one of the very best in point of natural beauty and great fertility in the Blue Grass region. It is only about 8 miles or less from Lexington by a fine turnpike, through a magnificent stretch of country. Has for improvements one of those massive, good old-style country brick mansions, and all the necessary outbuildings; included are large tobacco barns and tenants' houses, stables; about equal in grass and cultivation; a large quantity of valuable natural timber on this place. The owner is desirous of selling right away and will make the price moving inducement to the buyer. Lies west of Lexington.

47
50 acres unimproved land about 7 miles from Lexington, on a turnpike. It has all been sown to grass. Last year it produced nine barrels corn per acre on the whole. It lies well and has good water plentifully and is under good fencing. It will make some one a good little home for a market garden and fruits. It is close to stores, mills, post office, schools and schools. At \$50 per acre it is a great bargain indeed. Lies west of Lexington.

48
350-acre farm, well improved, with a good brick dwelling and more good outbuildings than you ever saw on a farm, and all needed too. Land now in grass and general cultivation. Some of the turnpike close to churches, depot and postoffice and schools, and the whole farm is bounded by both free and toll pikes. For great fertility and natural beauty these lands are seldom surpassed, and are also especially adapted for grazing, there being permanent running water well distributed and shaded by forest trees. Lies near Pine Grove Station.

49
436-acre farm located about 6 miles from Lexington by turnpike and rail with depot convenient. This particular farm has always been regarded as probably the best one of the size in the blue grass section. Every acre is of the very best and nearly all is in fine grass, including several beautiful woodland pastures watered abundantly by living springs and brooks and fresh water pools, making it very desirable for handling stock of any kind. Numerous stock barns, with sixty box stalls, stables, tenant houses and every other out house to be named; and the entire farm enclosed and well subdivided by good fencing. The dwelling in a large substantial two story brick country mansion, with all the numerous outbuildings necessary thereto and all in good order. The whole place lies perfectly undulating just enough for proper drainage. For the production of hemp and tobacco and fruits of every kind it is probably unequalled. Churches, schools, mills and shops all near. This splendid farm is being sold for the purpose of division among legatees. It is now priced lower than any farm of its quality ever sold in the county. It will probably be sold in two tracts if desired. Lies north of Lexington.

50
181 acres 5 miles from Lexington by free turnpike and railroad. 100 acres is open woodland now no scarce in this section. Timber, walnut and burr oak; 50 acres for wheat, balance place in meadow; cistern and well at house. Improved with an elegant two-story frame dwelling of 8 rooms with every convenience. Stock barn 40 by 100 feet finely built and arranged with roomy boxes for handling horses or cattle; large cistern supplies it with water. Stone dairy over a great spring, large ice house, various paddocks for stock, fruit abundant of all kinds close to the depot. This farm is well adapted for the production of hemp, tobacco, etc., or as a stock farm, \$85 per acre is a cheap value. Lies east of Lexington.

51
151 acres 3 miles N. W. from Lexington by turnpike and railroad with depots convenient. Improved with a substantial two story brick dwelling; stock barn and other necessary outbuildings. A portion of the farm is open woodland. This is splendid hemp and tobacco land, a large proportion of it. It is also in one of the very best sections of the state. It belongs to a lady who resides elsewhere and sells to invest in security, giving her less care. \$85 per acre is not high for it. Lies north of Lexington.

52
126 acres 6 miles by turnpike and railroad, all in grass, for many years being used as a stock farm and is well arranged for that business; with stock barns and paddocks and good water and fencing. A handsome two story dwelling, with every necessary outbuilding thereto. Also a new 4 room cottage. Will sell as a whole or divide. This lady, if one wants to cultivate is now ready for hemp and tobacco. \$75 per acre makes it a very cheap farm indeed. Depot close. Lies west of Lexington.

53
200-acre farm 6 miles from the county seat of an adjoining county and at a railroad station. It is all in grasses which is amply watered by living springs, well watered. Improved with a beautiful two story frame dwelling of 8 rooms, servants' house, barns, stable, etc. It is located near the junction, also of 6 turnpikes, 4 churches and a schoolhouse in sight. Lies near Nicholasville.

54
280 acres in Boyle county, Ky., on the Danville and Perryville turnpike, 1 mile from the former, 3 miles from the latter. Improved with a good two-story frame dwelling nearly new; barn, stable, etc. 50 acres in fine woodland; 40 in meadow all under good fencing; amply watered for all purposes. Good land located in fine section of country; farms all well worth the price asked, \$60 per acre.

55
250 odd acre farm about 8 miles from Lexington city limits by a leading turnpike. This place is about all in fine blue grass soil, ready for hemp or tobacco. Plenty of pure water from living streams, and place under best fencing, much of it post and rail. Large substantial brick dwelling and outbuildings in fine place amply shaded by fine forest trees. This place is owned by a lady living abroad who sells to invest in property better suited to her condition. We quote a price that will astonish you, as this is right in the best section of the country; farms all around it. \$65 per acre. Lies south of Lexington.

56
60-acre horse, stock, garden and fruit farm combined, only a mile from Lexington on a popular turnpike. Two-story, 8-room modern dwelling in fine yard running to pike; servants' house, two fine stock barns of 21 stalls, office, rooms, good track more than 500 fruit trees, all in bearing; several acres highly enriched market garden land, extensive beds of rhubarb, asparagus, etc.; improved with a high iron fence, large cisterns and other water. This is one of the highest points about the city, and is an ideal home. It cannot fail to please you. Price to suit the times. Lies south of Lexington.

57
60-acre home and a very valuable and attractive one too, only 3 miles from Lexington city limits on a beautiful turnpike road, which traverses, many think, the best section of the city. However that may be, none owns a better tract of land of the size. Comfortable improvements in a substantial frame house of 5 or 6 rooms and all needed outbuildings; also a tobacco barn and plenty of land requisite to fill it every year; water abundant, fencing good; about equally divided in grass and cultivation. Lies east of Lexington.

58
8 1/2 acres fine land within the city limits, near the Versailles turnpike and close to the Cincinnati Southern railroad. It has a neat frame cottage, stable, etc. It is shaped for practical sub-division into good building lots for some manufacturing plant. We can sell it quite cheaply just now.

60
120-acre farm, 6 miles by pike and rail from Lexington, three-quarters of a mile from a depot and village; 2-story frame dwelling; tobacco barn, stock barn, both large, and other outbuildings; lasting water from springs; young orchard; fine land. The price will sell it. Lies west of Lexington.

61
13 acre place, 7 miles north from Lexington on turnpike; improved with brick and frame dwelling of some 5 rooms; stables and other outbuildings. Spring and dairy house in the yard. Lies north of Lexington. This is a fine location for a physician. Price, \$2,150.

62
180 acres superior soil on turnpikes 6 miles from Lexington, about 40 acres cultivated and very fertile. Remainder in Bluegrass for many years, therefore ready for hemp or tobacco if desired. Good fencing and abundant water in dryest season. It is unimproved save a small house. It is certainly cheap. It lies northeast of the city. Price \$75 per acre.

63
187 acres farm, 7 miles south west from Lexington on turnpike, equidistant 2 miles from depots on two roads, about 40 acres in grass, balance devoted to tobacco grain, &c. 25 acres are woodland. Well watered by pools, springs and wells, and all under good fencing. Well fruited, large and small varieties. Well improved, with a good two-story dwelling, also two new barns and various other outbuildings. This is considered one of the best farms in Central Kentucky. Price \$75 per acre.

64
18-acre home about 3 miles west of Lexington on turnpike. It is nicely improved with a 6 room cottage and every necessary outbuilding for convenience and comfort. It is used as a vegetable and horticultural market garden. Fruits of every kind in abundance. Price \$3,500.

65
128 acres good land 7 miles east of Lexington by the free turnpike. It is nearly all fresh land, suitable for hemp, tobacco, etc. No building but a tobacco barn. Will sell less than the whole if desired. Price only \$50 per acre.

66
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67
102-acre farm 8 miles south of Lexington on a turnpike. It is comfortably improved with a substantial dwelling of six rooms and kitchen. Outbuildings are stock and tobacco barn, 2 servants' houses, ice house and others. Land in strong pure water in abundance. Unfailing fertility about one-half cultivated; 25 acres sown to wheat this fall; fruits, various kinds in bearing; fencing all good. This is one of the great bargains at the price, only \$65 per acre.

68
100-acre farm in Jessamine county, Ky., 3 miles north of Keene, 8 miles from Lexington. Improved with a frame dwelling, 9 barns and other outbuildings; pure running water; lies in a square. Certainly cheap at the price, only \$40 per acre.

69
74-acre suburban farm within toll gate on a prominent turnpike. High table land overlooking the city; nearly all in blue grass; paddocks; well fenced and watered; large barn; large apple orchard; also other fruits. This is one of the slightest homes about the city. The owner sells by reason of advanced age, and will give some one a great bargain in this property.

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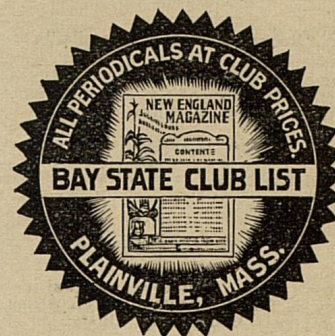
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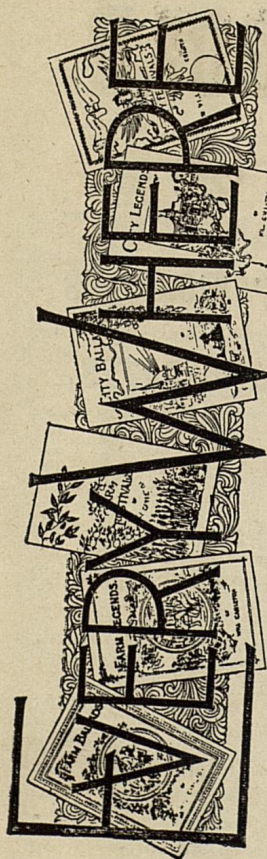
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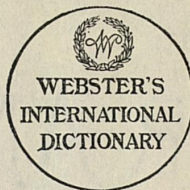
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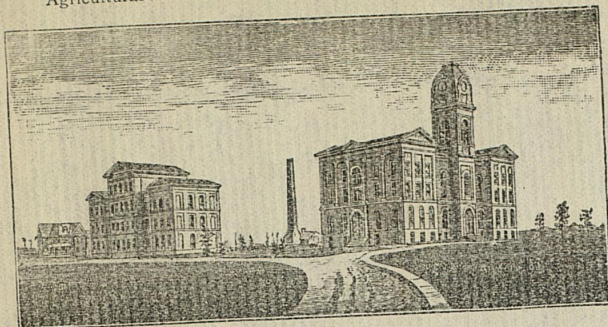
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" Case of Birds		33.00
" Chart- Stand Rollus Muslin & Co		12.00
" Additional Mic material of Baugh & Lomb		1.00
" Procurement of Palash & other Chem		1.30
" Rubber Printing		.75
" Expenses wayman 5 times		1.35
" 2. Quils Alcohol (through Wm Poler)		5.00
" Bill of Jno L. Miller (Hardware for Mich det)		6.63

Total excluded

182.53

140.00

By credit

140.00

Due on Account

42.53

75.00

117.53

Add for collection during summer.

Ant- for Jordan an Treasurer

Summary for Year - 86

Fund appropriated

\$ 500.00

Expended to date. (2 accts)

297.66

For collection of Dead Life &c.

75.00

Total Ex 1886

372.66

Carried forward to next year

127.34

47-M-64

The Great Northern & Northern
Direct
W. R. Cleveland

Lexington, Ky., May 31 1886

Mc A & Mc College

Bought of JOHN T. MILLER,

—DEALER IN—

Grates, Mantels, Building Hardware, Tools,

BAR IRON AND STEEL, TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY.

Main Street, Between Mill and Broadway.

Transylvania Print. Co., Lexington.

Feb	18	2 Files	100	2 Files	35	70	1	70	Proflanders
		1	15	2	10	20		35	
		1 Whet Stone	35	1 Chisel	25	1 Shovel		120	
March	3	Sand Paper	50	Nails & Washers				55	Sting
	8	3 1/2 # Ad Iron	15	2 1/2 # 15 Ad Iron	3	63		78	
	14	1 File	25	2 Files	30	2 Files		95	
		1 Gross Screws	35	1 1/2 File	10			45	
	21	1 2 foot Rule						35	
May	4	3 papers Brads			10			30	
							663		

June 1st 1886

Paid

John T. Miller

per Chas. P. May

LEADING CLOTHIERS AND TAILORS.

Folio 500 Lexington, Ky. June 1. 1896

Mr Prof. J. N. Patterson

Terms

To LOUIS & GUS STRAUS, Dr.

18

76, 78 & 80 E. MAIN STREET.

May 2. Suit to order 42.⁵⁰

Paid L. & G. Straus

"Thanks".

June 3/96

274-18.



4. Trafalgar Square.
London, W.C. June 6 1896
Abbreviated Address for Telegrams (Mada London).

B. F. Stevens,

Prof J. K. Patterson

Order

May

Dagster's Bible No 340

10th Communion

Book & Invoice Postage

1 . .

2 . .

10

£ 1 2 10

To Mr Oliver B. Kirby
Weaste Road
Salford
Manchester.



4, Trafalgar Square,
London, W.C. 8th June 1896
Abbreviated Address for Telegrams - Uoda London.

B. F. Stevens,
Prof. James. L. Patterson.

		£	s.	d.
Public Opinion	July, & Dec ^r . 1896 postage	6	6	
Spectator	do	15	3	
Mail	do	19	6	
Eng. Illustrated Magazine	do	4	8	
Sunday Magazine	do	4	8	
		£ 2 10 7		



Prof. James K. Patterson.
State College of Kentucky
Lexington. Ky.

B. F. Stevens.
4. Trafalgar Square.
London. W.C. June 2th 189 6
Abbreviated Address for Telegrams. Woda London.

Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to enclose invoice £2.10.7. for
subscriptions ordered in your recent letter. I also enclose
invoice £1.2.10. for a Bagster's Bible sent to Miss Oliver C.
Kirby and I trust that the book was received in good order and
found satisfactory.

Always at your service

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

B. F. Stevens
plf

M. Pres. J. K. Patterson



John Hutchison,

DEALER IN STAPLE AND FANCY GROCERIES.

PURE LIQUORS, COUNTRY PRODUCE, ETC

1896

TERMS CASH.

Jan	1	1/2 Orachens ¹⁰ (18) 1/2 Butter ⁵⁰ 2 lbs R Cuts ²⁰	80
	25	Papirea ¹⁰ R feeds ²⁵	35
Feb	1	1/2 Lemms ²⁰ (11) 1/2 Cheese ⁵⁰	50
	5	2 gals Whiskey ⁴⁰⁰ 3 Spinats ⁵⁰ 20 Peaches ⁶⁰	490
	22	1/2 Butley ¹⁶⁰ (29) 1/2 Lemms ²⁰	180
Mar	4	Patt ²⁰ (21) 1/2 Lemms ²⁰ (23) 1/2 Butley ⁵⁰ 20 Peaches ⁶⁰	115
	26	2 g Eggs ²⁰ (30) 25 Bro. ⁵⁸⁸ 22 Peas ²⁰	633
Apr	4	1/2 Ck greens ²⁵ (7) greens ²⁵ 25 Matches ²⁵	75
	10	1/2 bus Carrot ²⁵ greens ²⁵ 2 gals Berries ⁶⁰	90
	11	1/2 Beans ¹⁵ 1/2 Peas ²⁰ Buts ¹⁰ Potatoes ¹⁰ 1/2 Peas ¹⁰	65
	14	greens ²⁵ 1/2 Lemms ²⁰ 1/2 yeast ⁰⁵	50
	18	greens ²⁰ (20) greens ²⁰	40
	22	1/2 Ck But ¹⁵ greens ²⁰ (23) asparagus ²⁵	60
	24	greens ¹⁰ C. Plant ⁶⁰ (25) " "	45
	25	2 gals Whiskey ⁴⁰⁰ 1 gal Whiskey ²⁰⁰ 200 Express ⁷⁵	675
	27	greens ²⁰ (29) greens ²⁰ 1/2 But ¹⁵ C Plant ¹⁰	65
May	1	asparagus ¹⁵ (2) 6 1/2 Rice ⁵⁰ (5) 1/2 But ¹⁵ asparagus ²⁵	105
	7	2 gals Rets ²⁵ 1/2 But ¹⁵ (8) But ¹⁵ " "	75
	9	Beans ²⁵ asparagus ²⁵	50
	13	Beans ²⁵ 1/2 But ²⁵ (15) Beans ¹⁵ (16) 1/2 But ⁴⁰	2978
	19	Beans ²⁰ Beans ²⁰ (22) Beans ¹⁵ Beans ¹⁵	105
	26	1/2 But ¹⁵ (29) 1/2 But ¹⁵	70
June	2	1/2 But ¹⁵ (4) 3 Soda ²⁵ (5) Lemms ¹⁰ (6) But ¹⁵	25
	11	2 gals Berries ²⁵ (12) 1/2 But ¹⁵	65
	18	1/2 But ¹⁵ (24) 1/2 But ¹⁵ (26) Lemms ¹⁰	3243
			40
			35
			3318

Paid

John Hutchison

Shook

380

MONTHLY STATEMENT.

LEXINGTON, KY., 189

M

Prof. J. K. Patterson

To NOTTNAGEL & BRO., Dr.

—MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN—

Flour, Meal and Mill Feed,

WALNUT STREET, BET. SHORT AND CONSTITUTION.

1896

Jan	20	1 Bu Meal	55	
"	"	50 Paragon	1 25	
Feb	17	1 Bu Meal	55	
"	24	200 Bran	1 60	
Mar	14	1 Bu Meal	60	
"	23	50 Paragon	1 25	
April	11	1/2 Bu Meal	30	
"	25	1 " "	60	
May	14	50 Paragon	1 25	
"	20	1 Bu Meal	60	
June	16	1/2 " "	30	
"	29	1/2 " "	30	
			<u>9 15</u>	

Paid July 3^d 1896
 Nottnagel Bros

Lexington, Ky.,

1896

in

Bought of T. B. Satterwhite & Co.,

Agents for

Lake and Manufactured Ice.

Quarantine		340
28	67	70
30	100	35
Total 146		395
T. B. Satterwhite		
146		
1896		

Lexington, Ky.,

189

711

Bought of T. B. Satterwhite & Co.,

Agents for

Lake and Manufactured Ice.

2	50	20
4	100	35
6	50	20
8	100	35
10	50	20
12	100	35
15	100	35
18	100	35
20	100	35
23	100	35
26	100	35
Out for		3.40

Name of Institution: Mississippi Agricultural & Mechanical College.

Post Office, Agricultural College, Mississippi.

Report of the President of said institution to the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior, as required by Act of Congress of Aug. 30th, 1890, in aid of Colleges of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts.

I. CONDITION AND PROGRESS OF THE INSTITUTION, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1897.

The session ending June , 1897, has been the most successful one in the history of the College, the attendance larger than any session except one. Instruction in electricity has been added to the course. A new addition has been added to the Chemical Laboratory for the State Chemist's work, the best equipped building on the Campus, cost about \$6000.00. A deep well supplying ample water for the Campus is in operation, an air compressor being used supplying 60 gallons a minute. A complete system of water works has been completed during the year, affording fire protection to the buildings, bathing facilities to the students, water for irrigation, and for all other purposes, such as water for dairy herd. The Library is becoming an excellent one by an expenditure of \$800.00 a year for new books. All buildings have been repaired during the year at an expenditure of \$5000.00. The board for students is furnished for an average cost of \$6.95 a month. The Experiment Station grounds, buildings, and equipment have been enlarged, and the work intelligently and scientifically carried on, the farm and horticultural grounds enhancing in value and in successful operation. The shops are in good fix, and altogether the College is in successful operation.

(Signed) S. D. Lee, LL.D.,
President.

II. RECEIPTS FOR AND DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1897.

1. State Aid: Income from endowment granted by State	
(a) Appropriation for current expenses	\$22500.00
2. Federal Aid: (a) Income from land grant, Act July 2, 1862-----	
	5914.50
(b) For Experiment Stations, Act of March 2, 1887	15000.00
(c) Additional endowment act of August 30, 1890	10217.08
3. Fees from all other sources	14595.96
Total	\$68227.54

III. EXPENDITURES FOR AND DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1897.

1. Instruction in the subjects specified in sec. 1, act of August 30, 1890,	\$30281.73
2. Instruction in all other subjects and administrative expenses	21991.07
3. Experiment Station	15000.00
Total	\$67272.80

IV. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1897.

Value of all buildings, \$136685.00; of all other equipment, \$136960.87. Value of above property not used for instruction in the subjects specified in sec. 1 of act of August 30, 1890, Buildings, \$96010.00; of other equipment, \$105000.00. Total number of acres, 1960 1/2; acres under cultivation, 450; acres used for experiments, 50; value of farm lands, \$57746.00; amount of all endowment funds, \$16131.58.

Number of bound volumes, June 30, 1897, 5231; pamphlets, 7640.

V. FACULTY DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1897.

1. College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts:	Male	Female
(a) Preparatory Classes.....	4	
(b) Collegiate and special classes	18	
(c) Total counting none twice	22	
2. Number in all other departments.....	9	
3. Number of staff of Experiment Station.....	5	

VI. STUDENTS DURING THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1897.

1. Colleges of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts:	Male	Female.
(a) Preparatory classes.....	145	
(b) Collegiate and special classes	213	2
(c) Post Graduate courses	8	
Total, counting none twice	366	2
2. Number of students that pursued courses in agriculture, 616; veterinary science, 11; military tactics, 17.		
3. What degrees and how many of each kind were conferred in 1896-7 ?		
On men, M. Sc. 3, B. Sc. 15.		

(Signed) Stephen D. Lee, LL.D.,
President.

July 16th, 1897.

Name of Institution: Clemson Agricultural College.

Post-Office, Clemson College, State, South Carolina.

Report of the President of said institution to the Secretary of Agriculture and the Secretary of the Interior, as required by Act of Congress of August 30, 1890, in aid of Colleges of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts.

I. Condition and Progress of the Institution, Year ended June 30, 1896.

(1) There are two courses, the Agricultural and the Mechanical, each requiring four years for completion. The aim is to make the work both scientific and practical. Each student is required to work about two hours daily in the Chemical Laboratory, the Foundry, the Wood Shops the Machine Shops, at the Dairy, in Veterinary Department, on the Farm or in the Gardens - strictly "Educational work" for which the student receives no pay.

(2) Forge and Foundry enlarged - cost \$500⁰⁰; Mechanical Department more fully equipped at a cost of \$8500⁰⁰; Veterinary Department \$1300⁰⁰; Mineralogy and Geology \$750⁰⁰; Green House enlarged \$500⁰⁰; \$2500⁰⁰ for further equipment of Agr. Dept; \$1000⁰⁰ for College Library; \$175⁰⁰ Station Library; Physics 500⁰⁰; Chemistry \$600⁰⁰.

The school year runs from Feby. 20th to Dec. 20th, 1895; 372 students matriculating during this time. From June 30, 1895 to June 30, 1896 there were 427 matriculates.

II. Receipts For Aid During the Year Ended June 30, 1896.

1 Balance on hand July 1, 1895, over and above all indebtedness
(Excluding funded debt) \$13040.47

2 State Aid: Income from Privilege Tax 49200.00

3 Federal Aid: (a) Income from Land Grant, Act, July, 1862. 5754.00

(b) For Experiment Stations " March, 1887. 15000.00

(c) Additional endowment " Aug. 30, 1890. 10500.00

4. Fees and all other sources, (Clemson Request) 35712.36

Total - - - - - 97006.83

III. Expenditures for and during the Year ended June 30, 1896.

1 Instruction in the subjects specified in Sec. 1, Act of Aug. 30, 1890.	\$30479.51
2 Experiment Station	15000.00
3 Instruction in all other subjects	1200.00
Total expenditures (not including buildings, Equipment &c)	46679.51

IV. Property and Equipment, Year ended June 30, 1896.

- Value of all buildings, \$210,000; of other equipment, \$40,000.

Value of above property not used for instruction in the subjects specified in Sec. 1 of Act of Aug. 30, 1890, Buildings \$130,000; of other equipment \$10,000. Total number of acres, 1102; acres under cultivation, 400; acres used for experiments, 50; value of farm lands, \$26,280; amount of all endowment funds, \$75,000.

V. Library, Year ended June 30, 1896.

1 Number of bound volumes, June 30, 1896 -	1500
Total bound volumes . . .	1500

VI. Faculty during the Year ended June 30, 1896.

1 College of Agr. & Mech. Arts (a) Preparatory Classes	male 3
(b) Collegiate and Special Classes	22
Number of staff of Experiment Station	10.

VII. Students during the year ended June 30, 1896.

1 College of Agr. & Mech. Arts (a) Preparatory Classes	172
(b) Collegiate and Special Classes	200

Number of students that pursued courses in agriculture, 63; number that pursued mechanical courses, 57; Electrical engineering, 37; Military tactics, 427. No degrees conferred.

(Signed)

E. B. Craighead
President.

CABLE ADDRESS "HOOSIER, RICHMOND, IND."

JOHN M. WESTCOTT, President.
JAMES A. CARR, Vice-President.
BURTON J. WESTCOTT, Secretary.
OMAR HOLLINGSWORTH, Treasurer.

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REPRESENTATIVE IN

Kentucky and Tennessee.

P. O. LANCASTER, KY.



Lancaster Ky 7-5, 1896

Jas. K. Patterson Esq.

Lexington Ky.

*Sir, - Yours of 12nd rec'd + will be
in Lexington in week or 10 days &
will call to see you + hope to
be able to settle everything satis-
factory.*

*Yrs truly
A H Rice*

3436

TO CITY OF LEXINGTON, Dr.

ASSESSED VALUATION - REAL ESTATE.

ASSESSED VALUATION PERSONALTY.

Household Goods.....	250	
Pianos	50	
Gold and Silver Plate	75	
Diamonds and Jewelry	250	
Library	65	
Horses	100	
Carriages, Wagons, etc.....	250	
Cash		
Bonds, Notes and Mortgages..		
Stocks		
Merchandise.....		
Accounts		
Merchandise, Safes, Fixtures		
Total.....	1040	

PAID

JUL 6 1996

Stanley Milward
Treas

1040 1040	Real Estate, Personal Property at \$1.25
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\$ 13.
JUNE HALF,

6 50
65
7151

Total Real Estate	
Less 5 per cent. Reduction by B. of E	

No. _____

July - 6 - 1896

Received of

Pro. J. B. Patterson

Twenty six

50 DOLLARS

100

Acct.

\$26.50

Thank 

Victor Bogaert,

J. B.



Prof. James K. Patterson.
State College of Kentucky
Lexington, Ky.

B. F. Stevens.
4. Trafalgar Square.
London, W.C. Aug. 16th 1896

Abbreviated Address for Telegrams: Mada London.

Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 6th enclosing £5.0.0. which amount I have duly placed to the credit of your account with best thanks.

Always at your service

Yours faithfully,

B. F. Stevens
BFS

189

Bought of T. B. Satterwhite & Co.,

Lake and Manufactured Ice.

Apr. Cash		800
76	100	35
79	100	36
77	100	35
Total with		810

Lexington, Ky.

1896

m

Bought of T. B. Satterwhite & Co.,

Agents for

Lake and Manufactured Ice.

ap. Recd July		4.20.
1	1.00	35
3	1.00	35
5	1.00	35
7	1.00	35
9	1.00	35
11	1.00	35
13	1.00	35
15	1.00	35
17	1.00	35
20	1.00	35
22	1.00	35
Acct forward		80.5



4. Trafalgar Square,
London, W.C. 9th Sept 1896
Abbreviated Address for Telegrams - Udd London.

B. F. Stevens,
Prof. James H. Patterson
Lexington
Kentucky

Mail 9th September 1896 to
30th June 1897 postage
to Judge T. S. Miller

£ s d
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Prof. James K. Patterson.
Lexington
Kentucky.

B. F. Stevens,
4. Trafalgar Square,
London, W.C. Sept. 9th 1896

Abbreviated Address for Telegrams: Uddo London.

Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of August 28th and in accordance with your request have entered a subscription to "Mail" 9th September 1896 to 30th June 1897 to Judge T.S. Miller for which I enclose invoice herewith £1.11.9.

Always at your service

Yours faithfully,

B. F. Stevens
BFS

ESTABLISHED 1873.

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LABORATORIES & FACTORIES
at Racine, Wis. U.S.A.

LONDON DEPOT,
39 SNOW HILL, E.C.

Racine, Wis., U.S.A. Sep. 14 1898 189

Jas. K. Patterson, Esq.,
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Per your request, we mail, with our compliments, a package of HORLICK'S MALTED MILK for trial.

Our delicious food beverage makes a nourishing table drink, and can be partaken of by all members of the family, of any age, with benefit. It is especially adapted as a substitute for tea, coffee, cocoa, etc., for it produces none of the harmful effects of these beverages, but, on the contrary has a soothing influence upon the digestive organs and nervous system. A cupful taken hot upon retiring, will induce a sound, refreshing sleep. It is by no means a medicine, yet it is highly beneficial for impaired or weak digestion, dyspepsia, and intestinal troubles generally. Our food product is so nutritious, yet so easy to digest that it is frequently given to growing children and babes with great success. By its use the little ones are not exposed to the risks of contracting the many fatal diseases induced by the use of impure, diseased or contaminated milk.

In preparing, dissolve in a breakfast cup, one to two table-spoonsful of powder - quantity to be regulated by the taste - in a small quantity of hot, (not boiling) water, making it of the consistency of cream. When dissolved, add and stir sufficient water to fill the cup. It can be prepared with cold water, also. Salt, pepper, or any favorite flavor may be added. No milk or boiling required.

Imitations have been attempted. Obtain HORLICK'S malted milk. It is the only genuine. Procurable at druggists.

Very truly,

Dict. to L. S.

Horlick's Food Co.
per E.P.K.

T. B. Satterwhite,
Provision Broker,

Lexington, Ky.,

9/14
1896

Jack Patterson Esq
City

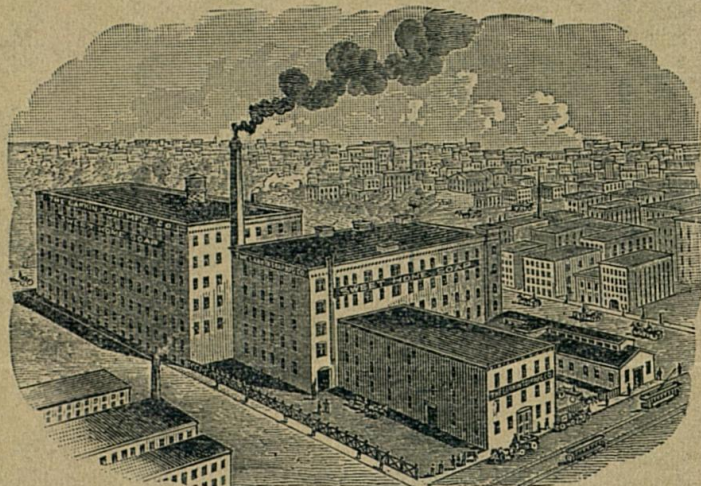
Dear Sir

Many thanks for nine
baptisms ¹⁰ recd. up to full to Septem-
ber. Thanking you for same and a Con-
tinuance of your patronage - ^{Patronage} remain
Sincerely

T. B. Satterwhite.

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ESTABLISHED 1875.



INCORPORATED 1892.

THE LARKIN FACTORIES—1895— 106,500 Square Feet.
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THE ONLY GREAT SOAP WORKS IN THE WORLD DEVOTED TO SUCCESSFUL CO-OPERATION WITH CONSUMERS. OUR PRODUCTION GOES DIRECT FROM FACTORY TO FAMILY. OUR PATRONS PAY NO TRIBUTE TO MIDDLEMEN.

Buffalo, N.Y. Sept 25th 96

James Patterson
Lexington

ESTEEMED FRIEND:

Your remittance has been safely received, and placed to your credit with thanks. If there was any delay in receiving your goods we would assure you of our constantly increasing facilities for supplying promptly the great demand for our soaps. Remember to use the "old customer's" special order blank when next you order.

To be a user of "Sweet Home" Soap is a proof of wise economy and progressive thought. The manufacturer alone adds *value*, every middleman adds *cost*.

Any word of recommendation you may say among your friends and neighbors in behalf of "Sweet Home" Soap will be duly appreciated by

Very respectfully yours,

— The Larkin Soap Mfg. Company. —

P. S.—If you have not received a copy of our Premium List, ask for it. Blank Orders and circulars to assist in getting orders sent on request.

F. 359.



4. Trafalgar Square,
London, W.C. *Sep 30* 1896
Abbreviated Address for Telegrams - Mada London.

B. F. Stevens,

Prof J. K. Patterson

Order

<i>Murray's English Dictionary. Disb - Disob.</i>	<i>1 11</i>
<i>" " Fish - Flex 2/6</i>	<i>1 11</i>
<i>10p Communion</i>	<i>5</i>
<i>Book & Invoice Postage</i>	<i>11</i>
	<i>£ - 52</i>

DAVID T. BEALS, President.

CHAS. H. V. LEWIS, Cashier.

F. P. NEAL, Vice-President.

UNION NATIONAL BANK.

CAPITAL, \$600,000.

Kansas City, Mo., October 1, 1896.

J. K. Patterson, Esq.,

Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir:--

Enclosed we beg to hand you our Cashier's check
No. **2778** for \$ **36.00** in payment of Semi-Annual
Dividend No. 19, of three per cent (3%) on **12** shares
of the capital stock of this Bank now standing in your name
on our books.

We also beg to enclose Semi-Annual Statement No. 19,
to the Stockholders, showing the condition of the Bank at the
close of business September 30, 1896.

Very respectfully yours,

CHAS. H. V. LEWIS, Cashier.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT.

H. E. HAYES, MANAGER.

D. APPLETON & CO.,

Publishers,
72 FIFTH AVENUE,
NEW YORK.

Mr. Jas. K. Patterson.
Lexington, Ky.

1st Oct., 1896.

Dear Sir:-

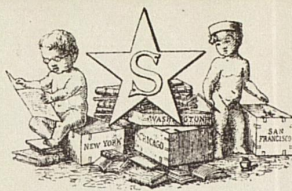
In response to your valued favor of the 28th Sept., we would say that Mr. Lecky's last book "Democracy" \$5.00 is published by Mess. Longmans Green & Co., New York City.

The latest work we have by that author is the "Political Value of History" 75^c.

Pleased at all times to serve you, we are

Yours very truly
D. Appleton & Co.

Prof. J. K. Patterson
State College of Kentucky
Lexington, Ky.



B. F. Stevens.
4. Trafalgar Square.
London, W.C. 2nd Oct 1896

Abbreviated Address for Telegrams: U.S. London.

DEAR SIR,

I have the pleasure to enclose invoice £0.5 2 for the books ordered in your favour of . The books have been forwarded by mail in accordance with your instructions, and I trust they will reach you in good condition.

Awaiting your further orders, and always at your service.

Yours faithfully,

B. F. Stevens

In continuation of your order

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B. F. Stevens,
4, Trafalgar Square,
London, W.C. *5th Oct 1888*
Abbreviated Address for Telegrams: Boda London.

Prof. J. H. Patterson
State College of Kentucky
Lexington, Ky.

Dear Sir

I have the pleasure to
acknowledge your letter of
Sep 19 & to enclose invoice
£0.15.3, for two books mailed
to you which are all I have
been able to secure from your
orders. The others I am sorry
to say having previously been
sold.

If however I should be
able to meet with other copies

of either of them at about
the same price, they will
be sent.

With further reference to
your letter of Aug 27 after
enquiring of the different
publishers, & again at Macmillan,

I now learn that Chubb's
translation of Polybius is to be
published by the latter & is
at present in the press, but
they cannot yet give any
date as to when it is likely
to appear, or the price.

Thanking you for your order,

Yours faithfully

C. D. Stevens

A. SANKEY,
Notary Public, Real Estate & In-
surance Agent.

Blue Mound, Mo., Oct 17th 1896

J. K. Patterson

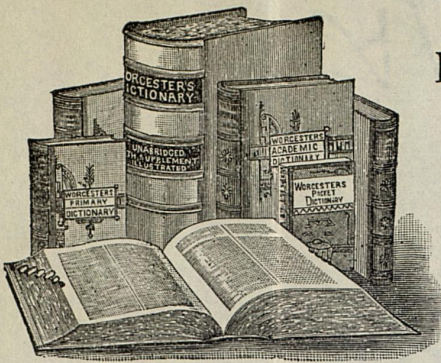
Dr Sir

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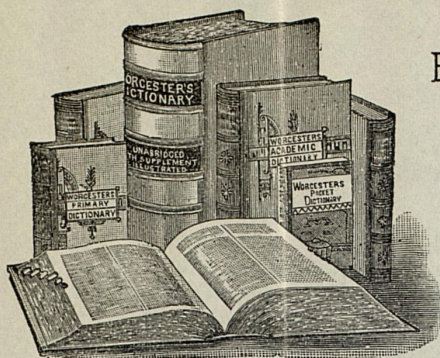
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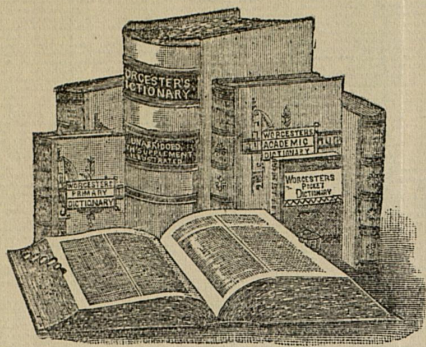
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ABOUT ENCYCLOPÆDIAS.

By WILLIAM I. FLETCHER, Librarian of Amherst College.



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Chambers's in its new edition is, as before, an English work, but is issued in conjunction with the Lippincotts of Philadelphia, and is largely contributed to by American writers. Its articles are signed, and the names are those of leading scholars on both sides of the water. Indeed, it has carried so far the "international" idea in its editorship that the London *Bookseller* has criticised it sharply as being made for the American market rather than the English. It excels greatly in the literary department, its biographical articles on authors, for instance, having a decided critical flavor, instead of being mere catalogues of events and writings. Another prime excellence of Chambers's is its bibliography, most of the articles being followed by well-chosen references for further pursuit of the subject.

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Rising in the scale of price we come next to the International and Johnson's, each costing from forty to sixty dollars, according to terms obtained and binding. Of the International little need be said. It is printed from the electrotype plates made by John B. Alden, some fifteen years ago, for his Library of Universal Knowledge. These plates comprised a reprint of the old edition (about 1865) of Chambers's, with large American additions. The editing was well done, and the book at forty cents (!) a volume was worth having, if one didn't mind its wretched appearance. The plates have been revised by the present publishers and some matter added. Being carefully worked on good paper, and well bound, the appearance is much improved, perhaps enough for the rise from forty cents to three dollars per volume; but it seems doubtful whether this old edition of Chambers's, even with all its revamping, can well hold the field against the new one.

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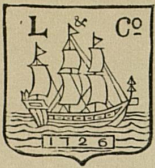
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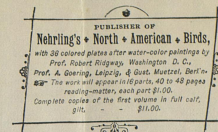
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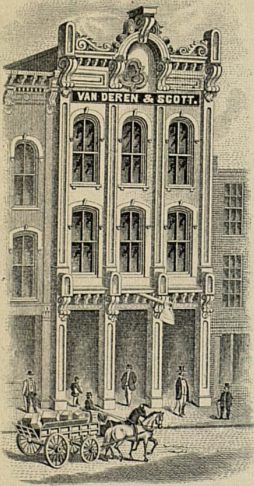
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29028	John L Gegenheimer	2775	Orange N J	42	" 24 "	"	382 00	Chronic Pneumonia
29029	Henry P Price	2073	Philadelphia Pa	45	" 26 "	"	437 85	Neur'a of He & Par's of B'n
29030	Wm H Flinn	637	Holly Springs Miss	44	" 27 "	"	408 00	Chronic Cystitis
29031	Charles A Heyward	1739	Brooklyn N Y	43	" 28 "	"	402 00	Brights Disease
29032	James Cheney	523	Athol Mass	35	" 30 "	"	401 00	Convulsions
29033	Ambrose White	733	Edinboro Pa	28	Oct 7 "	"	460 00	Organic Heart Disease
29034	M E Turner	3138	Malvern Ark	42	" 12 "	"	455 00	Locomotor Ataxia
29035	Jacques Lehman	3505	Morgan City La	38	Sept 16 "	"	302 90	B'd Pois'g in Garg'e of Arm
29036	W H Barrett	220	Augusta Ga	36	Oct 8 "	"	472 00	Neuralgia of Heart
29037	John L Maxim	617	Quincy Mass	48	" 8 "	"	280 80	Organic Heart Disease
29038	Benjamin F Turner	1190	Graniteville S C	35	Sept 27 "	"	212 00	Inflam'tion of Spinal Cord
29039	Edward Griffiths	2420	New York N Y	44	" 28 "	"	361 00	Brights Disease
29040	Christian H Fischer	469	Jersey City N J	43	Oct 3 "	"	277 00	Cancer of Liver
29041	E B Renshaw	1745	Alameda Cal	35	Sept 29 "	"	416 00	Consumption
29042	C S Hauser	1673	Winston N C	46	" 29 "	"	469 70	Organic Heart Disease
29043	Emery Brown	2147	Brooklyn N Y	37	Oct 2 "	"	420 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29044	Anton Esteln	2519	New Orleans La	45	" 10 "	"	407 40	Organic Heart Disease
29045	David L Cornor	759	Springfield Ohio	44	" 12 "	"	459 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29046	G T Hearn	105	Franklin Tenn	47	" 16 "	"	555 60	Acute Dysentery
29047	W Louis Peters	465	Charleston W Va	40	Aug 20 "	"	386 00	Cancer of Stomach
29048	Marcus Hollin	545	Milwaukee Wis	42	Sept 26 "	"	463 00	Congestion of Brain
29049	Nisan Frank	1170	Baltimore Md	46	" 30 "	"	423 50	Typhoid Fever
29050	J L Roy	492	Forrest City Ark	52	Oct 12 "	"	1251 00	Acute Pneumonia
29051	Henry Gilbert	518	Lexington Ky	52	Sept 26 "	"	1383 00	Paralysis
29052	F H Tucker	1667	San Augustine Tex	39	Oct 1 "	"	421 00	Abscess of Lung
29053	C H Tucker	1124	Boston Mass	44	" 4 "	"	455 00	Paralysis
29054	Charles McElger	8611	Chicago Ill	34	" 10 "	"	354 00	Hemorrhage from Stom'h
29055	Adolph Frenkel	800	New York N Y	45	" 13 "	"	584 30	Brs Dis'e & Abs's near Kid'y
29056	George W Gibson	2454	Chicopee Mass	37	Aug 13 "	"	259 00	Congestion of Brain
29057	E O Milton	217	Memphis Tenn	35	Sept 18 "	"	474 00	Brights Disease
29058	Joseph H Noyes	1020	Dedham Mass	53	" 28 "	"	1512 00	Cancer of Stomach
29059	Charles Milne	1085	New York N Y	25	" 28 "	"	449 60	Brights Disease

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NO	NAME OF MEMBER	Age	LOCATION	AGE	DATE OF DEATH	Rate	Am't Paid	CAUSE OF DEATH
29080	D McDonald	217	Memphis Tenn	48	" 29 "	"	561 60	Remittent Fever
29081	B Pulaski	941	Dallas Tex	39	Oct 2 "	"	408 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29082	Geo W Dayton	177	Louisville Ky	40	" 8 "	"	335 00	Bright's Disease
29083	John Murecott	2133	Brooklyn N Y	59	" 17 "	"	776 00	Acute Pneumonia
29084	Charles A Hutter	671	Upp r Sandusky O	20	" 13 "	"	259 00	Chronic Pneumonia
29085	Jas A Spaulding	1702	Hallettsville Tex	48	Sept 18 "	"	491 00	Cirrhosis of Liver
29086	Herman Schultz	1927	San Francisco Cal	47	" 29 "	"	424 80	Organic Heart Disease
29087	Geo Schweitzer	1747	New York N Y	27	" 29 "	"	391 00	Bright's Disease
29088	Jos A Williams	1507	Burrowsville Va	44	Sept 30 "	"	430 00	Constriction of Liver
29089	Wm A Darden	538	Jonesboro Tenn	44	Oct 13 "	"	453 00	Erysipelas
29090	Herman Hardrich	2098	Brooklyn N Y	25	" 8 "	"	421 00	Consumption
29091	M Tansig	832	Chicago Ill	37	" 4 "	"	455 00	Bright's Disease
29092	Ishmail H Thomas	845	Atlanta Ga	37	" 10 "	"	271 00	Aneurism of Aorta
29093	S H Rook	1245	Mechanicsburg O	39	" 14 "	"	419 00	Neuralgia of Heart
29094	Geo Crandall	1231	Ashtabula O	46	" 18 "	"	427 40	Organic Heart Disease
29095	W L Manson	1154	Covington Ky	48	" 20 "	"	585 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29096	Wm Edward Wheeler	2454	Chicopee Mass	42	Sept 26 "	"	388 00	Cirrhosis of Liver
29097	John C Guth	557	Newark N J	33	" 26 "	"	405 00	"
29098	Frederick Kramer	910	Little Rock Ark	48	" 8 "	"	536 20	Organic Heart Disease
29099	Henry Adolph Hennig	200	Louisville Ky	22	Oct 2 "	"	267 00	Consumption
29100	James A Slaughter	713	Marianna Ark	29	" 9 "	"	291 00	Hemorrhage from Spleen
29101	Bernard O'Rourke	3304	New York N Y	44	" 10 "	"	333 00	Organic Heart Disease
29102	Isaac Farnsworth	318	Janesville Wis	39	" 15 "	"	461 00	Inflam'n of Gall Bladder
29103	R L McClure	3192	Jacksboro Tex	48	" 16 "	"	422 50	Chronic Bronchitis
29104	Fredrich Korte	1277	Louisville Ky	41	" 20 "	"	390 00	Cirrhosis of Liver
29105	Herman Seldel	3593	Runge Tex	48	" 3 "	"	263 90	"
29106	Charles A Wakefield	1521	Eureka Kan	34	" 12 "	"	434 00	Organic Heart Disease
29107	G Rauschenbach	13	St Louis Mo	43	" 15 "	"	426 00	"
29108	Augustus Alba	760	Knoxville Pa	49	Sept 15 "	"	651 00	Inflammation of Bladder
29109	W P Butterfield	733	Edinboro Pa	42	Oct 19 "	"	460 00	Acute Pneumonia
29110	Geo Hutchinson	134	Boston Mass	42	Sept 12 "	"	263 00	Acute Dysentery
29111	D B Smith	625	Rochester Minn	40	" 13 "	"	454 00	Chronic Pleurisy
29112	Trasmond Comeaux	2661	Plaquemine La	32	Oct 5 "	"	261 00	Hemorrhage from Kidney
29113	Frank Rappold	2214	New York N Y	38	" 6 "	"	418 00	Chronic Asthma
29114	Herman L Well	1320	Paducah Ky	23	" 8 "	"	404 00	Bright's Disease
29115	John B King	66	Nashville Tenn	31	" 14 "	"	267 00	"
29116	R J Finnie	193	Clinton Mass	52	" 17 "	"	1422 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29117	George Haeberle	826	Niagara Falls N Y	45	" 18 "	"	475 65	Abscess of Liver
29118	John B Sexton	192	Boston Mass	38	" 24 "	"	476 00	Acute Pneumonia
29119	William Perrings	877	Jerseyville Ill	43	Sept 10 "	"	449 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29120	Elihu Morgan Hooper	3237	Wilson La	44	Oct 13 "	"	392 00	"
29121	Wilhelm Kippenstaple	7	Louisville Ky	47	" 1 "	"	585 60	"
29122	J A Sharp	506	Canton Ga	47	" 16 "	"	523 20	Cancer of Throat & Face
29123	W T Anderson	225	Washington Ga	43	" 19 "	"	451 00	Bright's Disease
29124	Morris Feirstein	1165	New York N Y	47	July 31 "	Half	263 40	Carbolic Acid Pois'g Sul'e
29125	August Hemminger	2758	Newark N J	39	Sept 30 "	Full	417 00	Oed'e of Lungs fm Epdottis
29126	W L Doering	296	Memphis Tenn	43	Oct 20 "	"	417 00	Cancer of Stom'h & Pancre's
29127	Herman H Poertner	400	St Louis Mo	31	" 25 "	"	373 00	Uraemia
29128	Charles S Thomas	926	Wollaston Mass	44	Sept 24 "	"	448 00	Bright's Disease
29129	Walter McKellar	694	Ludington Mich	44	Oct 19 "	"	193 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29130	Louis H Richter	1921	Brooklyn N Y	22	" 25 "	"	291 00	Bright's Disease
29131	Wm Edwin Lightfoot	1587	Fort Gaines Ga	59	" 27 "	"	331 00	Paralysis
29132	John J Cullen	2662	New York N Y	41	June 19 "	"	268 00	Organic Heart Disease
29133	W A Rives	1604	Mason Tenn	49	Sept 25 "	"	624 00	Acute Pneumonia
29134	Jno Kish'er	1767	Marion Ohio	49	Oct 1 "	"	642 00	Erysipelas
29135	John McArdle	3081	Kings Bridge N Y	37	" 10 "	"	190 00	Bright's Disease
29136	B J Dreyfus	261	New York N Y	37	" 13 "	"	425 00	Paralysis
29137	Peter Hanstein	261	"	42	" 15 "	"	432 00	Congestion of Lungs
29138	Andrew S Dunn	1803	Washington D C	39	" 20 "	"	388 00	Consumption
29139	Louis Freudenthal	261	New York N Y	34	" 21 "	"	401 00	Bright's Disease
29140	Samuel Kaufman	1707	Chicago Ill	42	" 22 "	"	333 00	Organic Heart Disease
29141	Moritz David	2194	New York N Y	49	" 26 "	"	618 50	Surgical Operation
29142	August Borrmann	261	"	27	" 26 "	"	348 00	Consumption
29143	Thos Benton Clark	2392	St Louis Mo	40	" 4 "	"	403 00	Paralysis
29144	Arthur M Cohen	1104	Charleston S C	47	" 12 "	"	500 60	Bright's Disease
29145	William Steffy	441	Wellsville N Y	34	" 13 "	"	416 00	Malignant Pustule of Neck
29146	Adam Gelsler	2753	Newark N J	26	" 16 "	Half	139 50	Consumption
29147	John J Good	637	Holly Springs Miss	32	" 19 "	Full	436 00	Gastro Enteritis
29148	Franz Zech	327	Hoboken N J	43	" 21 "	"	418 00	B'd Poisoning f'm Wound
29149	Benjamin L Harrison	1624	Conway Ark	39	" 22 "	"	301 00	Typhoid Fever
29150	Hans C Mathisen	1211	Chicago Ill	37	" 22 "	"	372 00	Consumption
29151	Seth Burrill Jr	175	Chelsea Mass	40	" 23 "	"	432 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29152	Edwin Willis	299	Monroe Mich	44	" 23 "	"	504 90	Bright's Disease
29153	D G Nash	736	Dunkirk N Y	51	" 24 "	"	1005 00	Neuralgia of Heart
29154	Moses C Lowden	1735	Plymouth Pa	33	" 26 "	"	220 00	Bright's Disease
29155	Andreas Schmidt	2714	Chicago Ill	44	" 11 "	Half	313 50	Appendicitis
29156	Albert F Noyes	1901	West Newton Mass	39	" 12 "	Full	424 00	Organic Heart Disease
29157	J J Thornton	1568	Senatobia Miss	38	" 14 "	"	431 00	Chronic Dysentery
29158	E G Beckley	257	Fisherville Ky	33	Nov 1 "	"	480 00	Typhoid Fever
29159	Peter H Meadows	1923	Petaluma Cal	44	Sept 22 "	"	368 00	Organic Heart Disease
29160	Charles I Mott	2544	Jacksonville Fla	41	Oct 6 "	"	231 00	Congestion of Lungs
29161	J A Heard	247	Florence Ala	54	" 15 "	"	1912 00	Acute Bronchitis
29162	Herman Claus	570	Brooklyn N Y	39	" 25 "	"	382 00	Congestion of Brain
29163	Samuel W Williams	1320	Paducah Ky	45	" 30 "	"	254 55	Uraemia
29164	J D McDougal	174	Savannah Tenn	27	Sept 13 "	"	476 00	Cerebral Apoplexy
29165	W F Harbert	2073	Philadelphia Pa	37	Oct 14 "	"	404 00	Organic Heart Disease
29166	Richard S Boney	2071	Atlanta Tex	32	" 17 "	"	389 00	Acute Meningitis
29167	Martin Medart	582	Bellefonte Ill	43	" 19 "	"	486 00	Chronic Pneumonia
29168	Jno Davis McLin	20	Nashville Tenn	45	" 26 "	"	384 60	Organic Heart Disease
29169	G W Harris	1656	Maryville Cal	37	Sept 29 "	"	413 00	Cirrhosis of Liver
29170	John C Kuykendal	359	Yorkville S C	36	Oct 31 "	"	469 00	Bright's Disease
29171	Mats Christensen	3379	Waupaca Wis	40	Nov 5 "	Half	122 50	Consumption
29172	Columbus F Jones	776	Greenville Ala	38	Oct 25 "	Full	160 00	Capillary Bronchitis
29173	George Baptist	2546	New Orleans La	38	Sept 3 "	"	159 00	Cirrhosis of Liver Alcoholic
29174	John P Sain	1495	Branchville S C	30	Oct 30 "	"	237 00	Consumption
29175	Cyrus N Thayer	524	Randolph Mass	42	" 19 "	"	455 00	Chronic Pleurisy
29176	J H Hornage	1596	Stockton Cal	47	" 21 "	"	504 00	Pneumonia
29177	Michael Flynn	2639	Virginia City Nev	33	" 22 "	"	388 00	Consumption
29178	William C Wingfield	1150	Portsmouth Va	53	" 24 "	"	1564 50	Consumption of Throat
29179	T C Price	550	Frostburg Md	49	" 26 "	"	640 50	R R Accident
29180	W J Clemerson	2	Louisville Ky	49	" 26 "	"	696 00	Acute Pneumonia
29181	Clement C Moore	2	"	49	" 27 "	"	703 50	Organic Heart Disease

STATEMENT OF W & O. B. FUND
CLASS A

To Amount received on Assessment No. 1	\$15,613.41
By Amount paid on 11 Death Claims	14,000 00
Balance on hand November 14, 1896	1,613 41

CLASS B

Balance on hand Oct 14, 1896	\$ 1,110.54	Amount paid on 178 death claims	\$ 349,166.87
Amount received since on Assessments	348,796 59	Balance on hand Nov 14, 1896	740 46
		Total Amt of Benefits paid to Nov 14, '96	\$6,738,032.93
		Membership Nov. 1, 1896 Class A	17,781
		" " " " Class B	81,124
Total	349 907 13		

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qualifications of Dr. MacDonald would deserve the salary they name—that is to say, \$2,400 or \$2,500 a year—this Bureau is an exception among the Departments in the matter of salaries, having no high salaries and very few salaries of even medium grade. The expert engaged in the study of the schools of cities receives \$1,400, and the expert of State systems, who acts as the general editor of the Bureau, receives only \$1,600. The chief clerk of this Bureau also, who acts as Commissioner in my absence, does not receive the regular amount provided for chief clerks, namely, \$2,000, but only \$1,800.

In view of the fact that it is quite difficult to get the attention of Congress to the salaries of this small Bureau, I ask your permission to make use of the personal interest on the part of Members of Congress—an enthusiastic interest on the part of some of them—to obtain a slight readjustment of salaries here, namely:

I would recommend that the salary of the chief clerk be placed at \$2,000, the salaries of the experts in State systems and city systems of education be placed at \$1,800, and that the salary of the specialist in education as a preventive of pauperism and crime be raised to the sum of \$2,500.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. T. HARRIS,
Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

House of Representatives, United States.—Hon. D. B. Henderson, Hon. Amos J. Cummings, Hon. George W. Ray, Hon. Irving P. Wanger, Hon. Tazewell Ellett, Hon. R. W. Taylor, Hon. John K. Cowen, Hon. U. S. Hall, Hon. J. H. Southard, Hon. N. M. Curtis, Hon. H. D. Money, Hon. Case Broderick, Hon. Henry C. Brewster, Hon. H. W. Rusk, Hon. Foster V. Brown, Hon. M. Brosius, Hon. William A. Stone, Hon. John L. McLaurin.
Ex-Members House of Representatives.—H. S. Greenleaf, John Van Voorhis.
United States Senate.—Hon. David Turpie, Hon. James H. Kyle, Hon. Lee Mantle, Hon. Justin S. Morrill, Hon. J. C. S. Blackburn, Hon. George L. Shoup, Hon. N. C. Blanchard, Hon. R. F. Pettigrew, Hon. M. S. Quay, Hon. Thomas S. Martin.
Ex-Member United States Senate.—Charles F. Manderson.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF EDUCATION,
Washington, D. C., December 5, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to request that you will submit to Congress the following amendment to the estimates recently furnished by this Bureau for expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898.

First, that the salaries of the two experts in city systems and in State systems of schools, which are now, respectively, \$1,400 and \$1,600, be made salaries of the fourth class and fixed at \$1,800.

Second, that the salary of the chief clerk of this Bureau be fixed at \$2,000 instead of \$1,800 as at present.

Third, that the salary of the specialist in education as a preventive of pauperism and crime be fixed at \$2,500.

I am compelled to make this request because of the difficulty of securing and retaining in this office experts of sufficient ability in these important departments of the Bureau work.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. T. HARRIS,
Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

SALARY COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION.

LETTER

FROM

THE ACTING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

A COMMUNICATION FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
RECOMMENDING AN INCREASE OF THE SALARY OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION, AND OF CERTAIN OTHER
EMPLOYEES OF THE BUREAU OF EDUCATION, AND OF THE
INTERIOR DEPARTMENT PROPER.

DECEMBER 15, 1896.—Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
Washington, D. C., December 14, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of Congress a communication from the Secretary of the Interior of the 9th instant, together with inclosures, recommending an increase in the salary of the Commissioner of Education, and of certain other employees of the Bureau of Education, and of the Interior Department proper.

Respectfully, yours,

W. E. CURTIS,
Acting Secretary.

The SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, December 9, 1896.

SIR: I herewith transmit a letter of the First Assistant Secretary of the Interior, dated December 7, 1896, in which he recommends that the salary of the Commissioner of Education be increased from \$3,000 to \$5,000 per annum; also two letters from the Commissioner of Education recommending the following increase of salaries:

First. That the salaries of the experts in city systems and in State systems of schools, which are now, respectively, \$1,400 and \$1,600, be made salaries of the fourth class and fixed at \$1,800.

Second. That the salary of the chief clerk of this Bureau be fixed at \$2,000 instead of \$1,800 as at present.

Third. That the salary of the specialist in education as a preventive of pauperism and crime be fixed at \$2,500.

I approve the recommendations contained in the letter of the First Assistant Secretary, as well as those contained in the letters of the Commissioner of Education herewith transmitted.

When I considered the estimates to be presented to Congress to be considered in framing the appropriation act for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the next fiscal year, I was not so well acquainted with the dignity and importance of the Bureau of Education and the high grade of efficiency necessary in its employees as I now am, having but recently taken charge of the office of Secretary of the Interior.

The positions held by the employees alluded to require the services of men of education and ability.

The dignity of the Bureau of Education is certainly equal to that of other Bureaus of the Department, and the character of the work done therein is certainly of no less importance.

By an act of Congress in 1867 a department of education was provided for, but during the following year the department of education was converted into a bureau. This indicates that Congress at one time considered the subject of education of sufficient importance and dignity as to call for a department devoted to the interests thereof.

It seems to me to be consistent with the genius of American institutions and the spirit of progress which characterizes the American people to elevate the Bureau of Education to a plane of equal dignity with other bureaus which belong to the Department.

In this connection, also, I desire to recommend that the salary of the telephone operator for the Interior Department be increased from \$600 to \$900 per annum, as the duties of that position are onerous and responsible and require a person of ability and fidelity for their discharge. In this Department the same operator has charge of two systems, the Government system and the general city system of telephones.

I also desire to recommend an increase in the salary of the captain of the watch from \$1,000 to \$1,200. The position requires the services of a man of character and force. He has entire charge of the watchmen, making his presence necessary in the building, not only during the day, but frequently during the night, and is of service by reason of the fact that his presence conduces to discipline in the labor force. Similar officers in other Departments receive from \$1,200 to \$1,400.

Very respectfully,

D. R. FRANCIS, *Secretary.*

The SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, D. C., December 7, 1896.

Mr. SECRETARY: I have the honor to recommend that a communication be sent to the chairman of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate, respectively, urging that the salary of the Commissioner of Education be increased from \$3,000 to \$5,000 per annum.

The annual salaries of the bureau chiefs and their assistants are as follows:

Commissioner of the General Land Office.....	\$5,000
His assistant	3,500
Commissioner of Indian Affairs	4,000
His assistant.....	3,000

Commissioner of Pensions.....	\$5,000
Two deputies, each	3,600
Commissioner of Patents.....	5,000
His assistant	3,000
Commissioner of Railroads.....	4,500
The Director of the Geological Survey.....	5,000
The Commissioner of Education.....	3,000

which, I am informed, is the salary of some of the principals in the New York City public schools.

By section 516 of the United States Revised Statutes it is made the duty of the Commissioner of Education to collect statistics and facts showing the condition and progress of education in the several States and Territories, and to diffuse such information respecting the organization and management of schools and school systems, and methods of teaching, as shall aid the people of the United States in the establishment and maintenance of efficient school systems and otherwise promote the cause of education throughout the country.

I need not remind you that the efficiency of our system of Government depends mainly on the intelligence of its citizens; and the most efficient means of bringing about the largest possible degree of intelligence among the people is a progressive public school system. In attaining this desideratum a capable Commissioner of Education is of the first importance. The present incumbent of this position, Dr. W. T. Harris, has a national and international reputation both as an educator and a man of letters. In the prosecution of his work he evinces great personal disinterestedness, and I doubt that another man of his capabilities and standing could be obtained to serve the country in this position for a salary which is but equal to that received by many subordinate school officials in the large cities of the country.

No bureau of this Department is, in my judgment, doing better or more useful work than the Bureau of Education. Under the present Commissioner the foundations laid are philosophic, unsectional, and statesmanlike. With rare tact and with modest appreciation of the delicate functions of his Bureau, he endeavors to avoid friction with the State and local systems of education, and yet to point them to the way and stimulate each community to higher and broader work. This is in accord, I think, with the true scope of his duties. I trust that you will agree with me that this office should be fitted, by proper salary, to better compensate for the services of an occupant of high caliber and patriotic purposes.

I will add that the present incumbent has no knowledge whatever of this action on my part, nor has he ever mentioned the subject to me.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. SIMS,
First Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF EDUCATION,
Washington, D. C., December 5, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to call your attention to the fact that I have received lately a number of letters from Members of Congress requesting that I recommend an employee of this Bureau, Dr. Arthur MacDonald, for increase of salary. I inclose memorandum of the names of the 19 Members of the House, including 2 ex-Members, and 11 Members of the Senate, including 1 ex-Member. I have replied to each of these, stating that, while I feel that a professional gentlemen of the



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(INCORPORATED.)

Louisville, Ky. December 15, 1896.

Rev. James K. Patterson:-

The twelfth number of the Filson Club publications is now about ready for the printer. It will be issued and delivered to members of the Club in January, 1897. An interesting and important part of its contents will be an alphabetically arranged list of all the members of the Club. This list, however, will be made up of the names only of members who have paid their dues for the year 1896.

The annual dues required of each member are three dollars, and it will be taken for granted that those who have not paid these dues do not desire to continue members of the Club, and their names will accordingly be dropped from the roll. The names, however, of all members now in arrears who make payments before the first of January, 1897, will be included in the published list. The time of payment can not be extended further, for the simple reason the contents of the book, including the list of names, must be in the hands of the printer by January 1st, 1897. The names of all members who have not have paid their dues by the first of January next will therefore be excluded from the list and dropped from the roll of membership. Payments should be made at the Columbia Finance & Trust Company, on the Northwest corner of Main and Fourth Streets, where the Treasurer will give receipts therefor, which will entitle the holder to one copy, free of cost, of the History of Transylvania University, published by the Club in 1896. Some copies of this publication, issued for the members and paid for by the Club, are yet on hand, and it is expected that all members now in arrears will pay their dues and take their books before the first of January, 1897.

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SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE

First National Bank

—OF—

LEXINGTON, KY.,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS

December 31st,

1896.

STATEMENT.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$359,964 19
U. S. 4 per cent Bonds.....	50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, Etc.,	166,238 12
Premium on U. S. Bonds.....	3,000 00
Premium on other Bonds	520 00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	23,000 00
Other Real Estate	11,258 54
Due from Banks	75,003 94
Due from Treasurer of U. S.	2,250 00
Cash.....	59,611 81
Total.....	<u>\$750,846 60</u>

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock.....	\$400,000 00
Circulation	45,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits.....	82,720 31
Fund to Pay Taxes	1,200 00
Dividends Unclaimed.....	84 00
Dividend No. 62	12,000 00
Deposits.....	209,842 29
Total.....	<u>\$750,846 60</u>

Gross Earnings for the past six months.....	\$17,887 39
Fund to Pay Taxes	3,000 00
	<u>20,887 39</u>

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:

Expenses and Taxes Paid.....	\$ 7,664 31
Fund to Pay Taxes	1,200 00
Dividend No. 62.....	12,000 00
Profit and Loss.....	23 08—
	<u>\$20,887 39</u>

JOHN M. BELL, Cashier.

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SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT
OF THE

Blue Grass
Building and Loan
Association,

(INCORPORATED)

OF

LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY,

FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDING

DECEMBER 31, 1896

ASSETS.

Loans secured by First Mortgage on	
Real Estate.....	\$336,719 15
Real Estate owned	22,958 47
Sundry Accounts (Taxes and Insurance advanced)	1,213 63
Furniture and Fixtures	552 85
Cash in Banks	14,860 31
Cash on Hand.....	579 26
	\$376,883 72

LIABILITIES.

Installment Stock (Dues)	\$122,733 41
Paid-up Stock	202,731 00
Earned Profits	\$58,158 96
Less Dividends and Taxes	
Paid	6,739 65
	51,419 31
	\$376,883 72

DIVIDEND OF SEVEN (7) PER CENT. declared for the six months ending December 31st, 1896.

I, Bishop Clay, Secretary of the Blue Grass Building and Loan Association, do certify that the above report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. BISHOP CLAY, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Bishop Clay, this 31st day of December, 1896.

ELLIOTT KELLY, Notary Public Fayette County, Kentucky.
(Commission expires January 19th, 1897).

I, Frank Farrar, Expert Accountant, do hereby certify that I have examined the books and accounts of the Blue Grass Building and Loan Association as kept by Bishop Clay, Secretary and M. J. Durham, Treasurer, and find same in first-class condition in every particular and all money accounted for. The above is a true statement of the books of the Association this 31st day of December, 1896. FRANK FARRAR, Expert Accountant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Frank Farrar, this 31st day of December, 1896.

ELLIOTT KELLY, Notary Public Fayette County, Kentucky.
(Commission expires January 19th, 1897).

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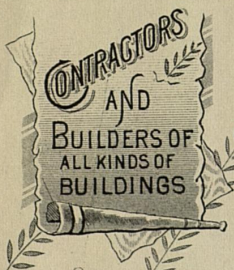


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Grad. means Graduate; Exp., Experience; Col., College; Cons., Conservatory; N. E., New England; Ed., Educated; Bap., Baptist; Pres., Presbyterian; Epis., Episcopal; Meth., Methodist; Luth., Lutheran; Cong., Congregational; R. C., Roman Catholic; Ref., Reformed.

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- 2—Grad. Berlin and Leipzig Cons.; 8 yrs. ex. *Violon*, PIANO, ORGAN, VIOLIN, CELLO, HARM., COUNTERPOINT, CHORUS; 33 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$1,500.
- 3—Grad. Berlin Cons.; 5 yrs. exp.; PIANO, ORGAN, HARM., COUNTERPOINT, *Voice*; 31 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$1,200.
- 4—Grad. Cons. of London; 4 yrs. exp. PIANO, VOICE, HARM., CHORUS; 31 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$1,200.
- 5—Grad. Munich Cons.; 15 yrs. exp. PIANO, ORGAN, HARMONY, COUNTERPOINT, *Violon*; 42 yrs. of age; Cath.; \$1,500.
- 6—Pupil of Carl Merz; 10 yrs. exp. PIANO, ORGAN, *Violin, Guitar, Cornet*, Harmony, Counterpoint, CHORUS, VOICE; 35 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$1,000.
- 7—Grad. N. E. Cons.; 10 yrs. exp. VOICE, PIANO, *Violin*, HARMONY, COUNTERPOINT, CHORUS, Concert Vocalist; Meth., 31 yrs. of age. Wife was pupil of Murdoch; ELO., PHYS. CULT., Public Reading; \$1,500 for both.
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- 9—Pupil Chas. Landon. PIANO, ORGAN, HARM., COUNTERPOINT; 1 yrs. exp.; 25 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$500 and home.

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- 2—Grad. Cin. Cons. Private lessons Boston and N. Y.; 10 yrs. exp.; VOICE, PIANO, HARM.; Pres.; 36 yrs. of age; \$600 and home.
- 3—Grad. N. E. Cons. VOICE, PIANO, CHORUS, HARM., COUNTERPOINT, *Ital., Fr., Gr.*; 3 yrs. exp.; 23 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$700 and home.
- 4—Grad. Vassar College School of Music; 4 yrs. exp. PIANO, ORGAN, *Chorus*, HARMONY, COUNTERPOINT; 24 yrs. of age; Bap.; \$500 and home.
- 5—Pupil of Marchesi. Concert Vocalist; 5 yrs. exp. VOICE, CHORUS, *Piano*; 30 years of age; \$800. (A rare chance for schools; sings in four languages; highly endorsed.) Luth.
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- 7—Grad. N. E. Cons. PIANO, HARM., *Phys. Cult.*; 3 yrs. exp.; 24 yrs. of age; Christian; \$400 and home.
- 8—Grad. London and Milan in VOICE, *Piano*; 4 yrs. exp.; 27 years of age; Meth.; \$800.
- 9—Grad. N. E. Cons.; 1 yrs. exp. VOICE, PIANO; 24 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$500 and home.
- 10—Grad. Cin. Cons.; 5 yrs. exp. VOICE, PIANO; 27 yrs. of age; Meth.; Concert Vocalist; \$800.
- 11—Grad. N. E. Cons.; 3 yrs. exp. PIANO, ORGAN, HARM., COUNTERPOINT; 26 yrs. of age; Bap.; \$500 and home.

- 12—Grad. Mt. Allison Cons. VOICE, PIANO, Violin, HARM.; 1 yrs. ex.; 23 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$500 and home.
- 13—Grad. N. E. Cons. PIANO, ORGAN, Violin, Guitar, Mandolin; 9 yrs. exp.; Bap.
- 14—Grad. N. E. Cons. Piano, CHORUS, VIOLIN, Cornet; 1 yrs. exp.; 22 yrs. of age; \$500 and home.
- 15—Grad. N. E. Cons. voice, PIANO, ORGAN, HARM., COUNTERPOINT; 1 yrs. exp.; 21 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$500 and home.
- 16—Grad. Mary Baldwin School. PIANO, ORGAN, Violin, Guitar, HARP, HARM.; 1 yrs. exp.; 22 yrs. of age; \$500 and home.
- 17—Ed. by Private masters. VOICE, PIANO, HARM.; 24 yrs. of age; 3 yrs. exp.; Bap.; \$300 and home.

DESIRABLE COMBINATIONS.

- 1—Grad. Syracuse Cons. VOICE and ELO.; 3 yrs. exp.; 28 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$500 and home.
- 2—Grad. N. E. Cons. PIANO, Organ, Guitar, HARM., COUNTERPOINT; also N. Y. Art League, including ART in all its branches. ELO., GERMAN; 5 yrs. exp.; 29 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$500 and home.
- 3—Grad. Cooper Union in Art and N. Y. masters in VOICE and Piano; 2 yrs. exp.; 23 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$500 and home.
- 4—Grad. N. E. Cons. ELO., Phys. Cult., VOICE, Piano; 3 yrs. exp.; 23 yrs. of age; Bap.; \$500 and home.
- 5—Grad. Mt. Holyoke Sem. and Cooper Art Union; 4 yrs. exp.; 30 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$400 and home.
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- 8—Grad. American Art School, Balt. ART and FRENCH; 2 yrs. exp.; 24 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$350 and home.
- 9—Grad. N. E. Cons. ENG., ELO., PHYS. CULT.; LATIN; 3 yrs. exp.; 24 yrs. of age; Cong.; \$500 and home.
- 10—Grad. Wesleyan Female Inst., Macon, Ga. PIANO, Organ, VIOLIN, GUITAR, BANJO, MANOLIN, HARM., COUNTERPOINT, ELO., Phys. Cult.; 2 yrs. exp.; 22 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$500 and home.

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- 1—Grad. Art Dept. Smith Col.; studied also in Paris. Fr.-hand, Cray., Pers., Oil, Water, Past., Chl., Tap.; 6 yrs. exp.; 35 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$500 and home.
- 2—Grad. Cooper Union. Fr.-hand, Cray., Pers., Oil, Water, Past., Chl., Tap.; 3 yrs. exp.; 29 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$400 and home.
- 3—Grad. St. Louis and N. Y. Art League. Fr.-hand, Cray., Pers., Oil, Water, Chl., Tap.; 10 yrs. exp.; 40 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$500 and home.

- 4—Grad. Cooper Union. Fr.-hand, Mech., Cray., Oil, Water, Past., Chl., Tap., Mod.; 3 yrs. exp.; 32 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$500 and home.
- 5—Grad. American Art School, Baltimore. Fr.-hand, Cray., Pers., Oil, Water, Past., Chl., Tap., Wood-Carving, Mod.; Meth.; \$400 and home.
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- 2—Grad. Emerson College Oratory. ELO., PHYS. CULT., LIT.; 5 yrs. exp.; 32 yrs. of age; Bap.; \$500 and home.
- 3—Grad. N. E. Cons. ELO., PHYS. CULT., FENCING; 1 yrs. exp.; 22 yrs. of age; Union; \$500 and home.
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- 8—Grad. N. E. Cons. School of Oratory and Ass't in same. ELO., DRAM. ACTION; 3 yrs. exp.; 24 yrs. of age; \$500 and home.

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- 1—Grad. Univ. of Gottingen. FR., GER., ITAL., SPAN., Lat. Gr.; 3 yrs. exp.; 36 yrs. of age; Luth.; \$1,000.
- 2—Grad. Univ. of Paris. FR., GER., SPAN., NAT. SCI.; 19 yrs. exp.; 49 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$1,000 and home.
- 3—A. B. Johns Hopkins. LAT., GR., HIST., POLIT. ECON., Math., Fr.; 5 yrs. exp.; 26 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$1,500.
- 4—Ph. D. Johns Hopkins Univ. HIST., LAT., GR., FR., POLIT. ECON.; 3 yrs. exp.; 27 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$1,000.
- 5—Grad. Univ. of Va. LAT., GR., MATH.; 3 yrs. exp.; 25 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$300 and home.
- 6—Grad. Univ. of N. C. Eng., Lat., Fr., Math., NAT. SCI.; 4 yrs. exp.; 25 yrs. of age; \$300 and home.
- 7—A. M. Randolph Macon Col. Eng., LAT., GR., FR., GER., MATH., Sci.; 6 yrs. exp.; 35 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$1,000.

- 8—Grad. Va. Military Inst. HIST., NAT. SCI., MATH., MIL. TAC., BOOK-KEEPING; 2 yrs. exp.; 24 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$800. Foot and base-ball.
- 9—Grad. Hampden-Sidney College and Theo. Sem. LAT., GR., MATH., HIST., BIBLE; 5 yrs. exp.; 34 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$800 and home.
- 10—Grad. Univ. of Va. Eng., LAT., FR., Ger., MATH.; 2 yrs. exp.; 22 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$600 and home.
- 11—Grad. Hampden-Sidney Col. ENG., LAT., GR., FR., GER., NAT. SCI., MATH., POLIT. ECON.; 4 yrs. exp.; Pres.; \$500 and home.
- 12—Grad. William and Mary Col. ENG., Lat., GR., FR., GER., ANG.-SAX., NAT. SCI., Math.; 2 yrs. exp.; 21 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$600 and home. (Instructor at William and Mary.)
- 13—Grad. Hampden-Sidney Col. Eng., Lat., Ger., Fr., Ang.-Sax., Sci., MATH., CIV. GOV.; \$400 and home.

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- 2—Grad. Nor. Col. of Hanover, Univ. of Paris. Potsdam Music School. FR., GER., Ital., piano; 6 yrs. exp.; 32 yrs. of age; Luth.; \$300 and home.
- 3—Grad. Col. in Switz. and Paris. FR., GER., 8 yrs. exp.; 33 yrs. of age; \$500 and home.
- 4—Grad. Pedagogue Inst., Zurich. FR., GER., ITAL. Will act well as Preceptress and teach History; 10 yrs. exp.; 47 yrs. of age; \$400 and home; Epis.
- 5—Grad. School in Paris. FR., GER., Art, PIANO; 16 yrs. exp.; 53 yrs. of age; \$400 and home.
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- 7—Grad. Wellesley Col. HIST., LAT., GR., Sci., MATH.; 1 yrs. exp.; 24 yrs. of age; \$300. Cong.
- 8—Grad. Vassar Col. Eng., LAT., FR., MATH., PHYS. CULT.; 5 yrs. exp.; 23 yrs. of age; Epis.; \$800.
- 9—Grad. Univ. of Nashville. Eng., LAT., GR., FR., Ger., Nat. Sci., MATH.; 2 yrs. exp.; 25 yrs. of age; Bap.; \$500 and home.
- 10—Grad. Mary Baldwin Sem. Eng., LAT., FR., MATH.; 3 yrs. exp.; 25 yrs. of age; Pres.; \$400 and home.

- 11—Grad. Randolph Macon Male Col. Eng., FR., GER., MATH.; 3 yrs. exp.; 29 yrs. of age; Meth.; \$500 and home.
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Oct	6	25 Rais ⁵⁷⁵ (9) 4 1/2 gal Jars ⁵⁰	605
	17	25 Sugar ³³⁸ 25 cut sugar ¹²⁵	463
	24	1/2 bus Potat ²⁰ (27) 2 Buckets ²⁵	45
Nov	4	2 gals Whiskey ⁴⁰⁰ (7) 1/2 bus Potat ²⁰ , 1/2 Bus ¹⁰	430
	16	2 gals oil Pot ¹⁰	35
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	20	10 Proflores ⁵⁰ yeast ¹⁰	55
	25	1/2 R Chem ²⁵ & 1/2 ofus ²⁰ qt Raisins ¹⁰	55
		1/2 Cream Chem ¹⁰ @ 25 (26) 1/2 bus Potat ¹⁵	35
	26	Yeast ¹⁰ Celery ¹⁰	10
	27	6 Lemons ¹⁰	46 56
Dec	9	12 Proflores ⁵⁰ Lemons ¹⁵	65
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Thanks

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qualifications of Dr. MacDonald would deserve the salary they name—that is to say, \$2,400 or \$2,500 a year—this Bureau is an exception among the Departments in the matter of salaries, having no high salaries and very few salaries of even medium grade. The expert engaged in the study of the schools of cities receives \$1,400, and the expert of State systems, who acts as the general editor of the Bureau, receives only \$1,600. The chief clerk of this Bureau also, who acts as Commissioner in my absence, does not receive the regular amount provided for chief clerks, namely, \$2,000, but only \$1,800.

In view of the fact that it is quite difficult to get the attention of Congress to the salaries of this small Bureau, I ask your permission to make use of the personal interest on the part of Members of Congress—an enthusiastic interest on the part of some of them—to obtain a slight readjustment of salaries here, namely:

I would recommend that the salary of the chief clerk be placed at \$2,000, the salaries of the experts in State systems and city systems of education be placed at \$1,800, and that the salary of the specialist in education as a preventive of pauperism and crime be raised to the sum of \$2,500.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. T. HARRIS,
Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

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Ex-Member United States Senate.—Charles F. Manderson.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF EDUCATION,
Washington, D. C., December 5, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to request that you will submit to Congress the following amendment to the estimates recently furnished by this Bureau for expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1898.

First, that the salaries of the two experts in city systems and in State systems of schools, which are now, respectively, \$1,400 and \$1,600, be made salaries of the fourth class and fixed at \$1,800.

Second, that the salary of the chief clerk of this Bureau be fixed at \$2,000 instead of \$1,800 as at present.

Third, that the salary of the specialist in education as a preventive of pauperism and crime be fixed at \$2,500.

I am compelled to make this request because of the difficulty of securing and retaining in this office experts of sufficient ability in these important departments of the Bureau work.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

W. T. HARRIS,
Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

SALARY COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION.

LETTER

FROM

THE ACTING SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

A COMMUNICATION FROM THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR
RECOMMENDING AN INCREASE OF THE SALARY OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION, AND OF CERTAIN OTHER
EMPLOYEES OF THE BUREAU OF EDUCATION, AND OF THE
INTERIOR DEPARTMENT PROPER.

DECEMBER 15, 1896.—Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
Washington, D. C., December 14, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of Congress a communication from the Secretary of the Interior of the 9th instant, together with inclosures, recommending an increase in the salary of the Commissioner of Education, and of certain other employees of the Bureau of Education, and of the Interior Department proper.

Respectfully, yours,

W. E. CURTIS,
Acting Secretary.

The SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, December 9, 1896.

SIR: I herewith transmit a letter of the First Assistant Secretary of the Interior, dated December 7, 1896, in which he recommends that the salary of the Commissioner of Education be increased from \$3,000 to \$5,000 per annum; also two letters from the Commissioner of Education recommending the following increase of salaries:

First. That the salaries of the experts in city systems and in State systems of schools, which are now, respectively, \$1,400 and \$1,600, be made salaries of the fourth class and fixed at \$1,800.

Second. That the salary of the chief clerk of this Bureau be fixed at \$2,000 instead of \$1,800 as at present.

Third. That the salary of the specialist in education as a preventive of pauperism and crime be fixed at \$2,500.

I approve the recommendations contained in the letter of the First Assistant Secretary, as well as those contained in the letters of the Commissioner of Education herewith transmitted.

When I considered the estimates to be presented to Congress to be considered in framing the appropriation act for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the next fiscal year, I was not so well acquainted with the dignity and importance of the Bureau of Education and the high grade of efficiency necessary in its employees as I now am, having but recently taken charge of the office of Secretary of the Interior.

The positions held by the employees alluded to require the services of men of education and ability.

The dignity of the Bureau of Education is certainly equal to that of other Bureaus of the Department, and the character of the work done therein is certainly of no less importance.

By an act of Congress in 1867 a department of education was provided for, but during the following year the department of education was converted into a bureau. This indicates that Congress at one time considered the subject of education of sufficient importance and dignity as to call for a department devoted to the interests thereof.

It seems to me to be consistent with the genius of American institutions and the spirit of progress which characterizes the American people to elevate the Bureau of Education to a plane of equal dignity with other bureaus which belong to the Department.

In this connection, also, I desire to recommend that the salary of the telephone operator for the Interior Department be increased from \$600 to \$900 per annum, as the duties of that position are onerous and responsible and require a person of ability and fidelity for their discharge. In this Department the same operator has charge of two systems, the Government system and the general city system of telephones.

I also desire to recommend an increase in the salary of the captain of the watch from \$1,000 to \$1,200. The position requires the services of a man of character and force. He has entire charge of the watchmen, making his presence necessary in the building, not only during the day, but frequently during the night, and is of service by reason of the fact that his presence conduces to discipline in the labor force. Similar officers in other Departments receive from \$1,200 to \$1,400.

Very respectfully,

D. R. FRANCIS, *Secretary.*

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, D. C., December 7, 1896.

MR. SECRETARY: I have the honor to recommend that a communication be sent to the chairman of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives and the Senate, respectively, urging that the salary of the Commissioner of Education be increased from \$3,000 to \$5,000 per annum.

The annual salaries of the bureau chiefs and their assistants are as follows:

Commissioner of the General Land Office.....	\$5,000
His assistant	3,500
Commissioner of Indian Affairs	4,000
His assistant.....	3,000

Commissioner of Pensions.....	\$5,000
Two deputies, each	3,600
Commissioner of Patents.....	5,000
His assistant	3,000
Commissioner of Railroads.....	4,500
The Director of the Geological Survey.....	5,000
The Commissioner of Education.....	3,000

which, I am informed, is the salary of some of the principals in the New York City public schools.

By section 516 of the United States Revised Statutes it is made the duty of the Commissioner of Education to collect statistics and facts showing the condition and progress of education in the several States and Territories, and to diffuse such information respecting the organization and management of schools and school systems, and methods of teaching, as shall aid the people of the United States in the establishment and maintenance of efficient school systems and otherwise promote the cause of education throughout the country.

I need not remind you that the efficiency of our system of Government depends mainly on the intelligence of its citizens; and the most efficient means of bringing about the largest possible degree of intelligence among the people is a progressive public school system. In attaining this desideratum a capable Commissioner of Education is of the first importance. The present incumbent of this position, Dr. W. T. Harris, has a national and international reputation both as an educator and a man of letters. In the prosecution of his work he evinces great personal disinterestedness, and I doubt that another man of his capabilities and standing could be obtained to serve the country in this position for a salary which is but equal to that received by many subordinate school officials in the large cities of the country.

No bureau of this Department is, in my judgment, doing better or more useful work than the Bureau of Education. Under the present Commissioner the foundations laid are philosophic, unsectional, and statesmanlike. With rare tact and with modest appreciation of the delicate functions of his Bureau, he endeavors to avoid friction with the State and local systems of education, and yet to point them to the way and stimulate each community to higher and broader work. This is in accord, I think, with the true scope of his duties. I trust that you will agree with me that this office should be fitted, by proper salary, to better compensate for the services of an occupant of high caliber and patriotic purposes.

I will add that the present incumbent has no knowledge whatever of this action on my part, nor has he ever mentioned the subject to me.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. SIMS,
First Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF EDUCATION,
Washington, D. C., December 5, 1896.

SIR: I have the honor to call your attention to the fact that I have received lately a number of letters from Members of Congress requesting that I recommend an employee of this Bureau, Dr. Arthur MacDonald, for increase of salary. I inclose memorandum of the names of the 19 Members of the House, including 2 ex-Members, and 11 Members of the Senate, including 1 ex-Member. I have replied to each of these, stating that, while I feel that a professional gentlemen of the

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With best wishes and with the compliments of the Season, we desire to remain,

Yours respectfully,

GEO. E. WILLIS Secretary.

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Very little time is left for action, and we trust that without waiting to be called upon you will immediately upon receipt of this write to the undersigned committee, notifying them whether or not you will participate in the syndicate proposed to be organized. If the syndicate representing \$20,000 is organized they will expect 50% of the subscription to be paid on the 15th day of this month and 50% on the 15th day of February. Subscriptions to this syndicate will close at 12 o'clock Wednesday the 13th, and if we do not hear from you by that time, we will understand that you decline to go into the syndicate.

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LOUISVILLE, KY., March 10, 1897.

THE FILSON CLUB PUBLICATIONS No. 12.

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KENTON BUILDING
LOUISVILLE, KY.

Prompt payment is necessary to keep your Policy in Force.

(OVER)

47-M-64

Annual Statement, January 1, 1896.

INCOME.

Premiums (including annuities).....	\$13,576,072 68
Interest and rents	3,962,639 47
Total income.....	<u>\$17,538,712 15</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Claims by death.....	\$3,000,450 70
Matured endowments	512,289 70
Annuities.....	2,554 26
Surrendered and lapsed policies.....	866,530 10
Dividends to policyholders.....	1,296,894 65
Total payments to policyholders	5,678,719 41
Taxes	194,323 73
Commissions and agents' expenses....	1,545,709 35
Med. exam'ns and inspection of risks	119,691 15
Office salaries, expenses of trustees, legal, loan and real est. expenses..	527,914 44
Advertising	14,539 90
Supplies and expressage.....	45,235 99
Exchange and postage.....	74,007 83
Rent (Home Office).....	25,000 00
Premiums on bonds bought.....	405,571 15
Expense of Ins. Com'rs examination.	13,885 80
Total disbursements.....	<u>\$8,644,598 75</u>

ASSETS.

Loans on bond and mortgage.....	\$59,041,112 24
Loans on policies as collateral.....	1,948,050 00
Premium notes.....	418,301 84
Real estate.....	1,400,863 15
United States bonds, market value....	2,197,850 00
State & municipal bonds, market val.	10,437,351 08
Cash on hand and in banks.....	4,533,611 02
Accrued interest and rent.....	1,371,305 77
Due and deferred prems. (less loading)	1,553,944 54
Total assets.....	<u>\$82,902,389 64</u>

LIABILITIES.

Present value of not due installments	\$45,115 00
*Losses and endowments unadjusted,	381,971 40
Dividends due and on deferred premiums not due, etc., (estimated)	100,240 97
Unpaid accounts, etc., not presented.	56,929 01
† Reserve req'd by law, Actuaries' 4%	65,746,160 00
Reserve for Annuities.....	58,412 00
Total liabilities.....	<u>\$66,388,828 38</u>
Surplus on 4 per cent. basis	<u>\$16,513,561 26</u>

* Including \$146,336 (less reserve) of losses for which notice but no proofs had been received Dec. 31, 1895.

† Including items of special liability amounting to \$331,413.

ST.
Pay to Phoenix National Bank, Lexington, Ky.
Pay to Phoenix National Bank, Lexington, Ky.

OFFICE OF THE
NORTHWESTERN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.

Milwaukee, Wis., February 1st, 1897.

J. K. Patterson,
Lexington, Ky.

The Ans. Premium of \$ 171.81
on your Policy No. 154440, will fall due
before noon on the 31 day of March, 1897,
and the same may be paid at the office of the Agent
of this Company in _____

The conditions of your Policy are that payment **must be made** on or before
the day the Premium is due, and members neglecting so to pay are carrying their
own risk. Agents have no right to waive forfeitures.

PLEASE PRESENT THIS NOTICE AT TIME OF PAYMENT.

Yours respectfully,

J. W. SKINNER,

SECRETARY.

H. D. RODMAN. Agent.

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Coal

1897

Lexington, Ky., *March 1* 1897

M. Proj Joe R. Patterson

Bought of **Shelby Kinkead & Bro.,**

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Anthracite and Bituminous Coals.

OFFICE AND YARD, No. 51 NORTH BROADWAY.

Railroad Yard, Patterson and Merino Streets.

Feb	10	25 1/2	Gr	7	200	
	11	57 1/2	"	"	451	
	13	117	"	"	918	1566

Paid Mar 4 1897

15 69

Thanks.

Shelby Kinkead & Bro

T. J. GROCE, PRESIDENT.

H. A. LANDES, VICE PRESIDENT.

A. J. COMPTON, CASHIER.

CONDENSED STATEMENT

OF THE

GALVESTON NATIONAL BANK,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS MARCH 9, 1897.

RESOURCES.

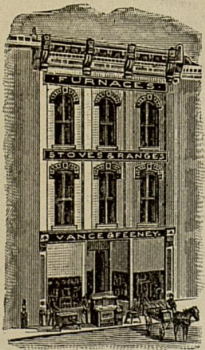
Loans and Discounts	\$519,690 41
U. S. Bonds	50,000 00
Stocks, Bonds, Real Estate, Etc.	22,487 07
Banking House and Fixtures	41,875 00
Redemption Fund	2,250 00
Cash and Exchange	258,035 37
	\$894,337 85

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$250,000 00
Surplus and Profits	25,150 45
Dividends Unpaid	195 00
Circulation	45,000 00
Deposits	573,992 40
	\$894,337 85

FOLIO

ALL BILLS DUE
THE FIRST OF EVERY MONTH.



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TELEPHONE 190

Lexington, Ky., May 1 1897

M. Pres J. H. Patterson

Bought of

J. T. VANCE,

(SUCCESSOR TO VANCE & FEENEY.)

Stoves, Ranges, Furnaces and Kitchen Novelties.

ROOFING, GUTTERING AND FURNACE WORK.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

No. 20 WEST MAIN STREET.

Jan 30	1 4 gh Tin sauce pan 7x9 to order	50	
Feb 12	1 #2 Keystone Beater	2 00	
Apr. 14	2 1/2 fts 7 in Pipe 25 ft. 7 in Cor. Elbow 40	1 03	
	Get up same	25	
	Waffle iron	83 -	
When send chck oblige Paid May 17/97 J. T. Vance			3 78
			83 -
			\$ 4 43

Arkansas Industrial University.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY.

Fayetteville, Ark., May 1/97

My dear Dr. & Mrs. Patterson.

I was very glad to receive

Dr. Patterson's letter the other day, but sorry to hear that neither of you are well. My wife & I are both in the very best of health, we have not any children. Lula is married, she lives in New York, married a Mr. Little, he is interested in a big corporation up there. They visited us a few weeks ago, he is quite a nice man. I have sent you by this mail a photograph of my wife, thinking that maybe you would like to have it. We would be very glad indeed to have one of you both. We are going to California this summer, there are to be very cheap rates \$47⁵⁰ for round trip tickets from St. Louis, you can go any way you like, if you return via Portland Oregon it costs \$7⁵⁰ more. We want you to join us & let the Minneapolis meeting go. There would be so

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CHEMICAL LABORATORY.

Fayetteville, Ark.,

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much more distraction in a trip of this kind, we intend to go to San Diego, Los Angeles, Monterey, San Francisco, Portland, Salt Lake & Denver, the trip is extremely inexpensive & I do not ever expect to again see the rates as low as they are to be in June. We will leave about June 22 & return about Aug 15. Come with us you would enjoy it immensely. You have had your fun with the Legislature, now we are having ours. The last session squabbled & adjourned without making any appropriations & the Governor has called a special session for that purpose. What the upshot will be I do not know. If anything happens to this place, I think my teaching days will close & business receive a new candidate. Several of my friends in Kansas feel foul of the Populists & you doubtless saw what happened to Fairchild & the rest. I am against

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CHEMICAL LABORATORY.

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Fayetteville, Ark.,

free silver, root & branch. it is absurd, merely a pretext to get something for nothing. There are only about 5 of us in this County, all the rest Republicans & Democrats both, are crazy for it. A man can't be elected Constable in this State unless he is a Silverite. I wish I could see the handsome monument you intend to raise, the lot, from your description must be a beautiful one. Some day maybe, we will go to Lexington for a short while, when I think over your sorrow, I can hardly realize that it is a fact. For it seems so short a time since we were all together, it is good that we cannot see into the future, so that the darkness to come is of uncertain time. My wife unites with me in love to you both & hopes that you will join us. Remember me kindly to Mr. Walter & your Mother.

Yours most sincerely,

Albert E. Menice.



CALEDONIAN SOCIETY

OF LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY.

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Lexington, Ky., May 4th 1897

Received from James K. Patterson

the sum of one dollar in payment of his membership dues from

Feb. 1st 1897 to April 30th 1897

\$ 1⁰⁰

Charles Hendric

Treasurer.

No.

12, OLD MILLGATE,

Manchester,

May 13th 1889

AND SEED BUSINESS.

Received of *M^{rs} M. Kellare*

the sum of

*Thirteen Shillings*on account of President *L. R. Patterson**State College, Lexington, Kentucky**£ 0.13.0**Dickson & Robinson*
*MR**Robinson,*

NURSERYMEN.

TER

1 April 1889

INVOICE OF

*wheat &c*Packed in *2 pkts**Abney Hall**Cheadle*

Addressed

fully to Mr J K Patterson - Lexington

Forwarded per

*Continental Express**Carriage paid*

The actual value only (when received) of Returned Empties will be allowed.

*5 pkts Wheat 5 nars**2 pkts Barley 2 .**2 pkts Oats 2 .**1 pt Broad leaved Essex Rye**Carriage pre paid**13 .**£**13*

THE OLD ESTABLISHED NURSERY AND SEED BUSINESS.

Dickson & Robinson,

SEED MERCHANTS AND NURSERYMEN.

12, OLD MILLGATE, MANCHESTER

1 April 1889

INVOICE OF

Wheat &c

account of *Wm Kellar*

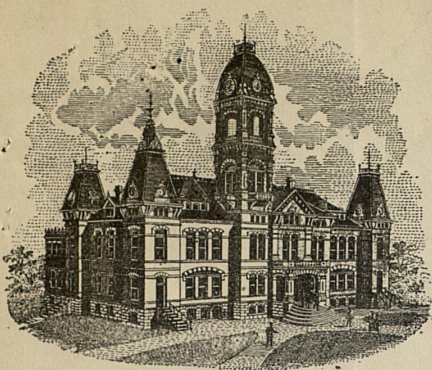
Packed in *2 ppls* *Abney Hall* *Cheadle*

Addressed *fully to Mr J K Patterson - Leighton*

Forwarded per *Continental Express* *Carrriage paid*

The actual value only (when received) of Returned Empties will be allowed.

<i>5 ppls Wheat</i>	<i>5 ppls</i>		
<i>2 ppls Barley</i>	<i>2 .</i>		
<i>2 ppls Oats</i>	<i>2 .</i>		
<i>1 ppl Broad leaved Essex Rye</i>			
<i>Carrriage pre paid</i>			
		<i>13 .</i>	
		<i>13</i>	



Office of

JOS. M. BETZ,
SECRETARY.

Water-Works Department.

JOHN SURRAN,
SUPERINTENDENT.

CITY OF NEWPORT, KY.

Newport, Ky. May 20 1897

This is to Certify that the Fulton Steam Boiler works of Richmond, ind., entered into Contract, with the Newport Kentucky water works Commissioners for the erection of a battery of two Boilers 72 diameter of Shells and 20 feet long with twenty six 6" tubes in each Boiler with each tube riveted to the Fire + end back heads of Boiler. these Boilers were to be first Class in every particular regardless of expense, it affords me great pleasure to State that the Specifications were Carried out to the letter, and the workmanship was done first Class, the Boilers have been in Constant use for eight months and have not developed a single leak. in fact they are as perfect as a Boiler can be made, and when the time comes for us to put in any additional Boilers I would recommend they be duplicated, the Fulton Boiler works done all they agreed to do, and done it cheerfully,

Return to us

John Surran

Superintendent of Newport Ky Water Works



*Accommodations for 1000 Guests.
Building Absolutely Fire Proof.*

West Hotel

*Operated exclusively on the American Plan
at Rates from \$3.00 per day upwards.*

Minneapolis, Minn., May 20th, 1897

James K. Patterson, Prest.,
State College,
Lexington, ~~Kenn.~~ *Kenn.*

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of May 17th to our Col. West at hand and the information you claim to have received from the Secretary of the Associations of American Agricultural Colleges, which meets here on July 13th, is evidently wrong.

We made a flat rate of \$3.00 per day to those coming, and this without baths, but as a concession to those who were unable to pay this price, as we understood there were a few of the younger people who would be unable to meet it, Col. West made a special rate of \$2.50 per day each where two or more occupy a room. On that date we will have the house very full in entertaining another convention and we would be compelled to place people at this rate in inside rooms, however they would be equally as comfortable and light, though not as large as outside appartments.

We will make you a rate on an outside room on the front for yourself and wife for \$6.50 per day, this to include bath room, or we can give you an inside room with bath for \$6.00 per day.

This is a reduction from our regular rates and we trust it will be satisfactory to you.

Kindly let us hear from you at your earliest convenience and oblige.

Yours truly

J. H. Gray Manager/

Arkansas Industrial University.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY.

Fayetteville, Ark., May 28/97

My dear Dr. Patterson.

Your letter came duly to hand. I waited to find out about the Can Pac Ry before replying. You can buy a ticket from San Francisco to Chicago via the C P Ry for \$32⁵⁰, same price to St Paul. The dates are limited, you will receive a letter from their agt. We will leave on June 29 via the A T & S Fe going via Denver & Salt Lake. The fare from here is \$23. I guess from Lexington about \$30. Their agt will also write you. We want both you & Mrs Patterson to go with us. We will return via the Can Pac Ry. It seems to be a grand chance. I want to ~~visit~~ ^{visit} Vancouver, in fact want to see all these

Arkansas Industrial University.

CHEMICAL LABORATORY.

Fayetteville, Ark.,

is to be seen, the more the better. Our
Legislature is still fighting. we hope
they will treat us respectably. Populists are
hard to control. Vide Kansas. Our

Commencement will be on June 17th.

I am so glad you like the picture, we
want one of you & Mrs. Patterson. With
our kindest wishes.

Yours most sincerely
Albert M. Mendenhall.

Lexington Stock and Produce Exchange,

No. 488

Lexington, Ky., 188

GRINSTEAD & BRADLEY, BANKERS.

Pay to or Bearer,

100 Dollars.

For

\$ 100



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\$14¹⁰

MS &

JH Patton

Apr 6 Pay Hole for this week

for Labour done on the S. D. M. College

Thomas Munroe one week \$ 7 50

Thomas Clark 21 peaches of Rock
cracked at 27[¢] per peach 5 65-

Henry Gaung one day & 3/4 of 1st day 1 75-

John Tabbott a. do - 1 75-

Boy for keeping gate one week 1 00
\$ 17 65-

#636.

417-11-64

Envelopes & postage on
Circulars City Bonds

250

\$ 30

J. F. Robinson

U. Robinson

§ 30

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Envelopes & postage in
Circuitous County - Bonds \$6.70

R S Bullock

R. S. Bullock

26⁷⁰

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A. & M. College

Dr

To M. R. Pence for services
as assistant in preparation
Department of said college \$235

Received payment -

M. R. Pence

by Jas K Patton

Labor I done on the college's farm in Nov.

1st	2 ^{feeding}	4½	29 I shucked four shocks of
2nd	1		corn, 30 I shucked four shocks
3rd	1	4½	of corn,
4th	2		
5th	2		
6th	1		21 hours
7th	2		8
8th	1		1.68
	12	9	8 2.48

Andrew C. Lee

Boston, December 24 - 188

Ly. Agri. - Mech. College

E. S. RITCHIE.

T. P. RITCHIE.

J. RITCHIE.

A. M. RITCHIE.

BOUGHT
OF

E. S. Ritchie & Sons,

150 TREMONT STREET.

2 in. Induction Oil (Rushmore)	48 00
3 Unannealed Glasses	6 00
4 Agate Mortars	2.75 11 00
6 Blowpipes - Black's form	.30 1 80
1 Oz. Reagents - 4 ea. #350-351-354	1 35
Compound Bar	75
	68 90

2 1/2 % Packing

1 72

\$ 70 62

Deduct Compound Bar (not sent)

75

\$ 69.87

Correct
Robt. P. S.

#177.

44-M-64

4th Estimate on ArM College

69 Window frames - 276.00

3 Doors " 30.00

15816 ft Pine Lumber 316.32
692.32

Less 15% -

93.32
529.00

Coating walls as agreed 34.00
563.00

Residual for \$560

ABush for

#182.

44-M-64

Lexington, Ky. 18.....
 Mc N. M. College



SHELBY KINKEAD,

—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF COAL.

ANTHRACITE A SPECIALTY.

Yard—No. 44 North Broadway.

Wilson & Zimmerman, Printers, Lex. Ky.

Mar 2	To	25 Bus.	66	Coal at	21	6		
19	"	52 "	Pome	"	20	10 40		
26	"	2 1/2 "	63	"	20	5 50		
Apr 4	"	Kindling.	"	"	"	1		
5	"	498	66	"	20	98 00		32 40
	"	"	"	"	"			
	"	"	"	"	"			
	"	"	"	"	"			
	"	"	"	"	"			
	"	"	"	"	"			

Received Payment.

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DEALERS IN ALL KINDS OF COAL

STREET 1000 N. W. COR. 10TH ST.

Phone 1000 N. W. COR. 10TH ST.

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Phone 1000 N. W. COR. 10TH ST.

A. & M. College
To E. N. McElroy's 4 pence to train from
from Bowling Green and return

Dr,

\$20⁰⁰

To James R. Patterson for money paid
Joseph Frazer for six Bushels seed corn

\$6⁰⁰

H. Wolf for music on Commencement
Day

\$20⁰⁰

47-M-64

#287

Judge W. B. Kimbroad
Ch of Ex Com of
State Ark

Free Post office
For Stamps & Wrappers

\$23.35

#207 This account is correct
Geo K. Patton

#304

Judge his kinfolk

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#287

H Bush & Son 600 ⁰⁰

P. F. Maguire 20 bbls lime
20 ⁰⁰

M. Wigginton
15 8 1/2 cords wood @ 3 ⁰⁰
475-
15- engine

Jas Elliott Jr
40 bus sand 4 ⁰⁰

J. L. Gann
500 bus. sand @ 10¢. 50 ⁰⁰

Brick yard Payroll No 7
187 ⁵⁰

Brick work Payroll No 8
421 ²⁵

H P McDonald & Bro
127 ⁵⁰

Phil Black
Hauling \$21 ²⁵

LAW OFFICE OF

W. B. & GEO. B. KINKEAD,

Lexington, Ky. 188.....

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Salum Lime Co, bar lime (M⁹440) \$64.⁵⁷

J E Kellar agt Freight on 15 caw wood & hauling same
\$222.⁰⁰

Will & Brown Gal Ironbent Est 3102.⁰⁰
Deduct 15% \$465.⁰⁰
\$2636.⁷⁰

Milward & Co repairing 6 1/2 Sets brick molds \$30.⁰⁰

P. F. Maguire 10 bbls lime @ ^{1.00} \$10.⁰⁰

W W Mosee agt Freight on 15 caw Sand & 2
lime \$304.⁰⁰

Phil Black ^{7 caw & 1 load} hauling sand & lime \$24.³⁵
Brick Work Payroll M⁹9. \$422.⁰⁰
Brick Yard Pay Roll M⁹8. \$151.⁰⁰

#355 at seq.

47-M-64

Leicester April 6
A.D. M. College

to Jas Murray
for Attending to grounds during the month of
March 25 days employed at \$1.75 per day \$43.75

#635

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Ray McDonald
Pay roll No 12
\$ 50.6 ³⁵ ₁₀₀

Ray McDonald Pay roll No 2
Gridding & cleaning Basement
\$ 5.8 ¹⁰

W. W. Monroes agt
ft on sand & lime
\$ 83 ⁰⁰

Phil Black hauling
5 cars sand @ 34 ⁰⁰ / 17 ⁰⁰

G. D. Wilgus

Est on contract
\$ 300 ⁰⁰

#3787e

44-M-64

" Expenses, as follows:

Nov 28. ¹⁸⁸¹ Expressage on Microscopes \$19.50

" " Postage on Letters for Pres. Patterson 1.74

March 14 Zinc Tray for Germinating seeds 1.50

" 23 Paper for Botanical specimens 3.00

Apr. 6 Postage on letters soliciting donations .39

#638,

44-M-64

" D. L. Curtis

Wages for the month ending March 31 \$33.33

Loll on turnpike (digging trees) \$1.65

#639

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Lexington April 24th
to Mr. College &
to Kearney & Emerson

to 1 corn Martin-
Wood Work
Grooming same

3.00

1.50

~~4.50~~

Kearney & Emerson,

correct
w/ H. Kellerman

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#662

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CABLE ADDRESS, "GAYBLESS."

GAYLORD, BLESSING & CO.,

MUNICIPAL BONDS.

Bankers & Brokers,

307 OLIVE STREET, P. O. BOX 285.

ST. LOUIS, MO., APR. 6, 1896.

MISCELLANEOUS BONDS AND STOCKS.										CAPITAL.		BONDS.		PAR. call.		DUE.		%.		LAST DIVID.		QUOTED		BANKS										CAPITAL.		SURPLUS		PAR.		LAST DIV.		%.		QUOT.	
Alton Bridge																								American Exchange	500,000	337,118	50	Dec 95, s. a.	3	80															
American Brake	2,000,000																							Boatmen's	2,000,000	623,327	100	Dec. 95, s. a.	3 1/2	150	13														
Am. Cent. Ins. Co.	600,000																							Bremen	100,000	180,000	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	4	225	23 1/2														
Anchor Line,	1,500,000																							Chemical National	500,000	42,185	100	July 95,	1 1/2	73															
Bell Telephone of Mo.	400,000																							Citizens,	200,000	65,428	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	3	117															
Bi Metallic Mining Co.	5,000,000																							Commercial	500,000	545,095	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	5	250	255														
Bonne Terre F. & C. Co	500,000																							Continental National	1,000,000	260,079	100	Dec. 95, s. a.	3	110															
Carondelet Gas Lt. Co.																								Fourth National	1,000,000	785,012	100	Nov. 95, s. a.	4	206	215														
Citizen's Ins. Co.	200,000																							Franklin	600,000	100,000	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	6	130	150														
Commercial Bldg. Co.	350,000																							German Savings Inst.	250,000	501,183	100	"	6	300	312														
Consolidated Coal Co.	5,000,000																							German American	150,000	819,648	100	"	6	680	700														
5-25																								International	200,000	86,827	100	Mar. 96, q.	1 1/2	150	155														
Doe Run Lead Co.	1,250,000																							Jefferson	100,000	15,486	100	"	6	98	102														
East St. Louis Bonds																								Lafayette	100,000	310,000	100	Jan 96, s. a	4	330	350														
Edison Illuminat'g Co	4,000,000																							Mechanics	600,000	724,939	100	Apr. 96, q.	2	228	232														
5-30																								Merchants Laclede Nat.	1,400,000	79,157	100	Dec. 95, s. a.	3	115	116														
Granite Mt. Mining Co	10,000,000																							Mullanphy Savings	100,000	173,947	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	4	85	90														
Hydraulic Press Brick	3,000,000																							Nat'l B'k of Commerce	3,000,000	957,148	100	Apr. 96, q.	1 1/2	137	140														
5-10																								Nat. B'k of the Republic	500,000	49,179	100	April 91	1	77															
Kansas & Tex. Coal Co	2,500,000																							Northwestern Savings	200,000	72,299	100	Jan. 96 s. a.	4	140	150														
Kennard Carp. Co. Pfd.	450,000																							St. Louis National	1,000,000	129,876	100	Mar. 94	1 1/2	85	90														
Com.	330,000																							St. L. Safe Dep. & Sav.	200,000	31,615	100	Apr. 96 s. a.	3	109	112														
Laclede Bldg Co., 1st	5-10																							South Side Bank	200,000	54,000	100	Jan. 96,	3	115	125														
2nd.																								State Bank of St. Louis	650,000	1,197,141	50	Dec. 95, s. a.	8	168	170														
Laclede Gas Light Pfd.	2,500,000																							So. Com. & Sav. B'k	100,000	13,989	100	"	3	115	125														
Com	7,500,000																							Third National	1,000,000	223,081	100	Mar. 96 q	1 1/2	99															
Merchants' Bridge Redeem, 110 after 20 yrs.	20-40																							Lincoln 500,000 Auth.	500,000	39,170	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	3	108															
Mer. Bdge & Ter. Ry.																								Miss. Valley 1/2 paid in	2,600,000	529,145	100	Apr. 96 q.	1 1/2	75 1/2															
Sterling issue.																								St. Louis. 80% paid in	2,500,000	650,000	100	Jul 95 Cr. St.	8	124															
Miss. Val. Trans. Co.	500,000																							Union (au cap 1,200,000)	1,000,000	236,322	100	Nov. 93,	3	121															
Mo. Elec. Lt. 1st mtg.	5-20																							TRUST COMPANIES.																					
2nd																								Lincoln 500,000 Auth.	500,000	39,170	100	Jan. 96, s. a.	3	108															
Nat. Linseed Oil Stock	18,000,000																							Miss. Valley 1/2 paid in	2,600,000	529,145	100	Apr. 96 q.	1 1/2	75 1/2															
Nat. Stock Yards Co.	2,500,000																							St. Louis. 80% paid in	2,500,000	650,000	100	Jul 95 Cr. St.	8	124															
Pad. Tenn & Ala. R R																								Union (au cap 1,200,000)	1,000,000	236,322	100	Nov. 93,	3	121															
Shultz Belting Co.	500,000																							STREET RY CO.																					
Simmons Hdw Co. pfd	1,500,000																							Cass Av. & Fair Gro.	2,500,000		100																		
com	1,500,000																							102 10-20	1,911,000		100	1912	5	J. & J.	99	0													
St. Charles Car Co.	655,250																							1,500,000			100	1907	6	J. & J.	107	8													
St. L. House Bldg No 3	500,000																							Citizens 21 mls. Elect.	1,500,000		100	1903	6	J. & J.	10	8													
St. L. Cot. Com Co.	625,000																							"			100	1916	6	F. & A.	10	10													
St. L. Agri & M Ass'n	10-20																							Fourth St. & Ars. 6 m.	300,000		100	1903	6	J. & J.	10	8													
2nd mtg.	10-20																							"			100	1916	6	F. & A.	10	10													
St. L. Brew Ass'n pfd	500,000																							"			100	1903	6	J. & J.	10	10													
com	4,500,000																							"			100	1916	6	F. & A.	10	10													
St. L. Exposition St'k	600,000																							Jefferson Ave. 5 miles	400,000		100	1905	5	M. & N.	10	8													
St. L. Transfer Co.	852,000																							"			100	1905	5	M. & N.	10	8													
St. Joseph Lead Co.	2,500,000																							Lindell, 55 mls. Electric	2,500,000		100	1911	5	F. & A.	105	10													
Union Stock Yards,	500,000																							"			100	1913	6	J. & J.	109	11													
Union Dairy Co.	300,000																							"			100	1913	6	J. & J.	110	11													
United Elevator Co.	2,685,000																							Missouri, 26m. cable,	2,300,000		100	2	Apr. 96, q.	195	205														
"	5-20																							"			100	1907	7	J. & J.	104	106													
"	5-20																							"			100	1896	5	J. & J.	102	105													
Union Trust Bldg. Com	220,600																							Peoples, 10 mls. cable,	1,000,000		50	Dec. 89																	
"	100,000																							"			100	1902	6	J. & D.	89	90													
" 1st Mtg																								"			100	1902	7	M. & N.	100	103													
" 2d Mtg																								"			100	1904	6	J. & J.	75	85													
Wiggins Ferry Co.	1,000,000																							"			100	1925	6	Monthly	100	103													
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ST. LOUIS CITY BONDS.

	AMOUNT.	COUP.	TIME.	DUE	QUOTED
Renewal (Gold)	593,000	6	J. & D.	20 "	June 1, 98 105 107
Park	340,000	6	F. & A.	30 "	Aug. 1, 98 106 107
Renewal	675,000	6	J. & J.	20 "	Jan. 1, 99 107 109
"	476,000	5	"	20 "	Jan 1, 1900 105 106
"	203,000	4	M. & N.	10-20	May 2, 1902 100 103
"	90,000	4	J. & J.	10-20	Jul 2, 1903 100 103
"	620,000	4	F. & A.	10-20	Feb 2, 1905 100 103
Gas Co.	950,000	4	J. & D.	20 yrs.	Jun 1, 1905 103 105
Park	1,900,000	6	A. & O.	30 "	Ap 1, 1905 119 121
Property	245,000	6	"	40 "	" 10, 1906 119 121
Renewal (Gold)	2,844,100	3.65	J & D.	20 "	Jun 25 1907 101 102
"	1,559,000	4	A. & O.	20 "	Ap 10, 1908 105 106
"	1,985,000	4	J. & J.	30 "	Jul. 1, 1918 107 108
"	275,000	3 1/2	F. & A.	30 "	Au. 1, 1919 98 100
"	12,000	3 1/2	M. & S.	30 "	Jun 2, 1920 98 100
" Sterling #100	2,499,921	4	M. & N.	20 "	No. 2, 1911 105 106
" (Gold)	1,155,000	4	"	20 "	Nov 1, 1912 105 107
"	1,250,690	4	A. & O.	20 "	Oct 1, 1913 106 108
"	2,000,000	4	J & D	20 "	Jun 1, 1914 107 109
"	975,000	3.65	M. & N.	20 "	May 1, 1915 102 104
Total debt about	20,747,711				
Assessment,	\$326,463,600				
ST. JOSEPH, MO.					
Funding	509,300	4	F. & A.	20 "	Feb. 1, 1901 98 100
"	902,000	6	"	20 "	Aug 1, 1903 108 112
School	100,000	5	"	10-20	Aug 1, 1908 99 101
"	115,000	5	M. & S.	5-20	Mar 1, 1910 99 10

The Farm College

to

J R Fleming

A Mr. M. R. Dancy

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March 25. 1881

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