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Kentucky	
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Fayette	
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	JUN 11 1975

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1. NAME

COMMON: Same

AND/OR HISTORIC: The Opera House (and Yates Book Shop Building)

2. LOCATION

STREET AND NUMBER:

141 and 145 North Broadway

CITY OR TOWN:

Lexington

STATE: CODE COUNTY: CODE

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3. PHOTO REFERENCE

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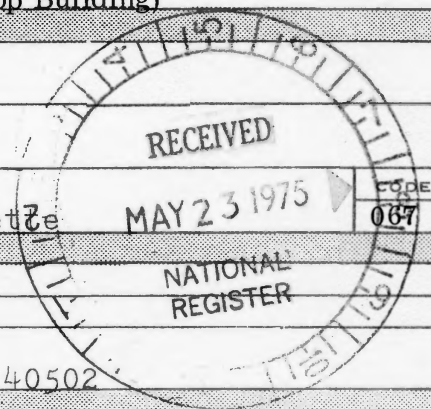
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Photo of 141 and 145 North Broadway from south during restoration.

Photo No. 1



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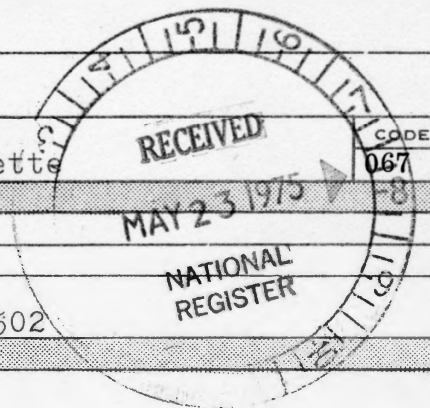
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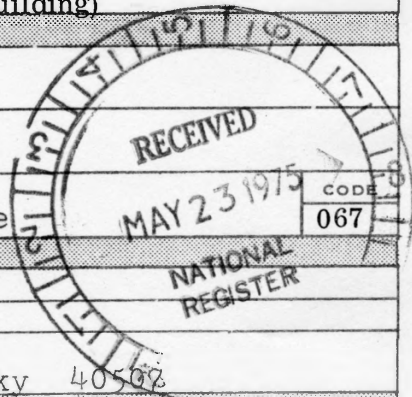
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Photo of Opera House (145 North Broadway) while used as a movie house, before restoration begun.

Photo No. 3



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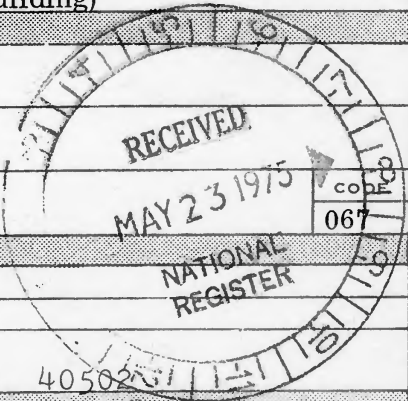
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Photo of relief decoration on facade of Opera House

KY 11

Photo No. 4





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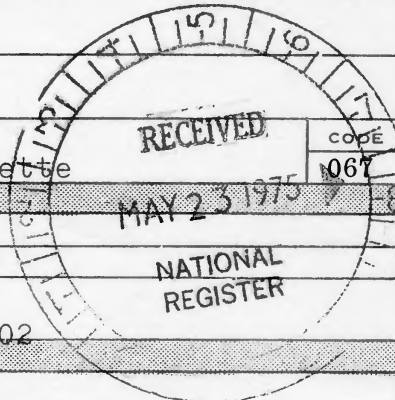
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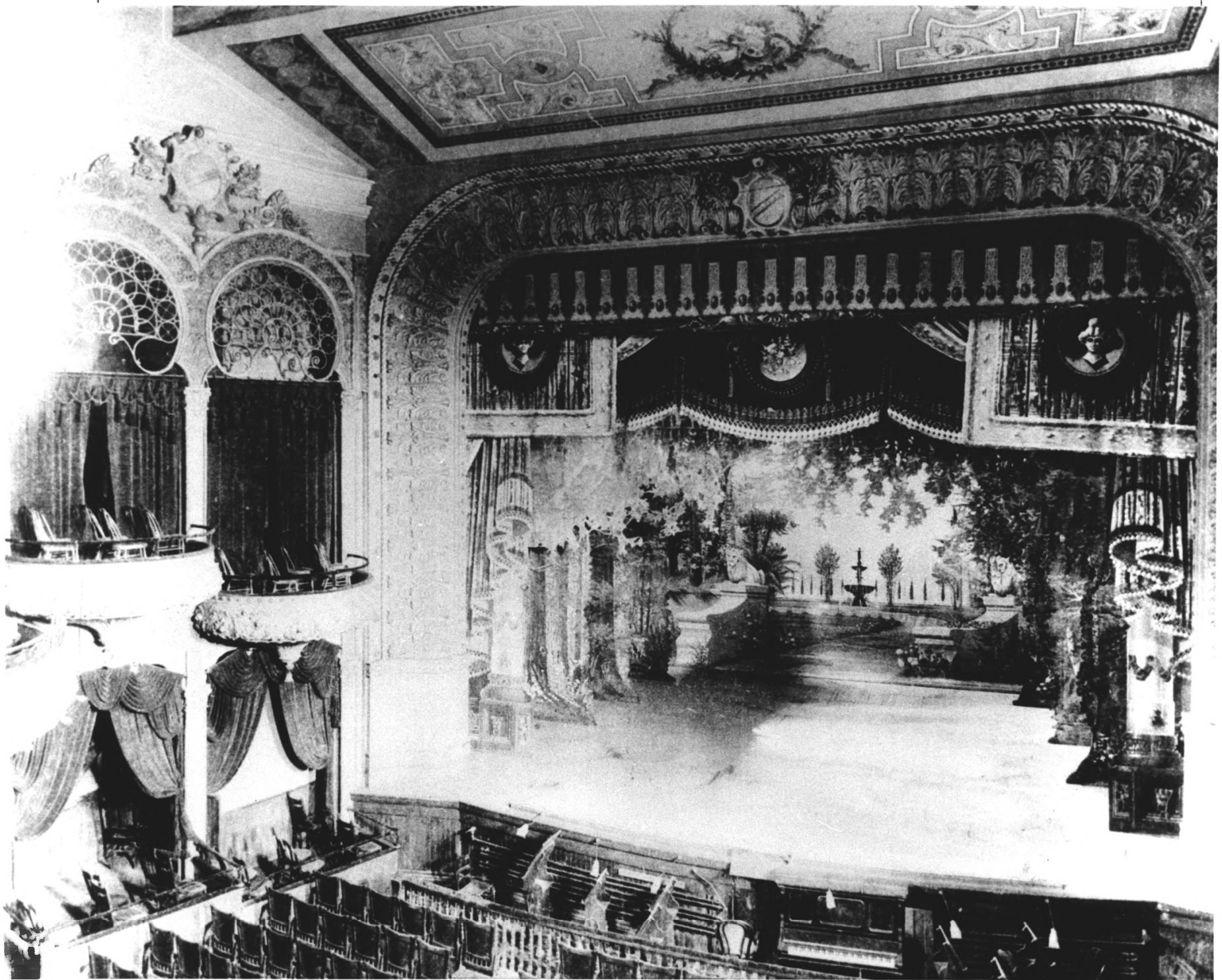
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Closeup photo of relief decoration on facade of Opera House  
in approximately original condition.  
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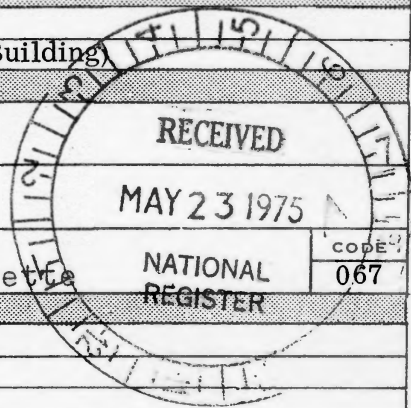
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Interior view of Opera House looking toward stage, taken from second balcony

KY 10

Photo No. 6