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Photo 2. View of house from
north as seen from I-64.

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Photo 3. North facade of house.

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Photo 4. East side of house
from northeast.

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Photo 5. West side of house as
approached. (Porch is modern.)

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Photo 6. Rear wing of house from
west.

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Rear wing of house from south.

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Photo 8. Detail of west side of house
showing unusual double Flemish
bond on this side only. DEC 12 1976

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Photo 9. Detail of west end of north facade of house showing Flemish bond wall surface, unbonded pilasters, stone foundation and water table, stone slabs at base of wall.

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Photo 10. Detail of round brick
columns, stone pedestal, and
stone floor of north portico.

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Photo 11. Detail of semicircular
stone steps from unused capitals.

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Photo 12. Front hall from main
entrance looking toward stairhall
beyond.

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Photo 13. Staircase in west side
hall.

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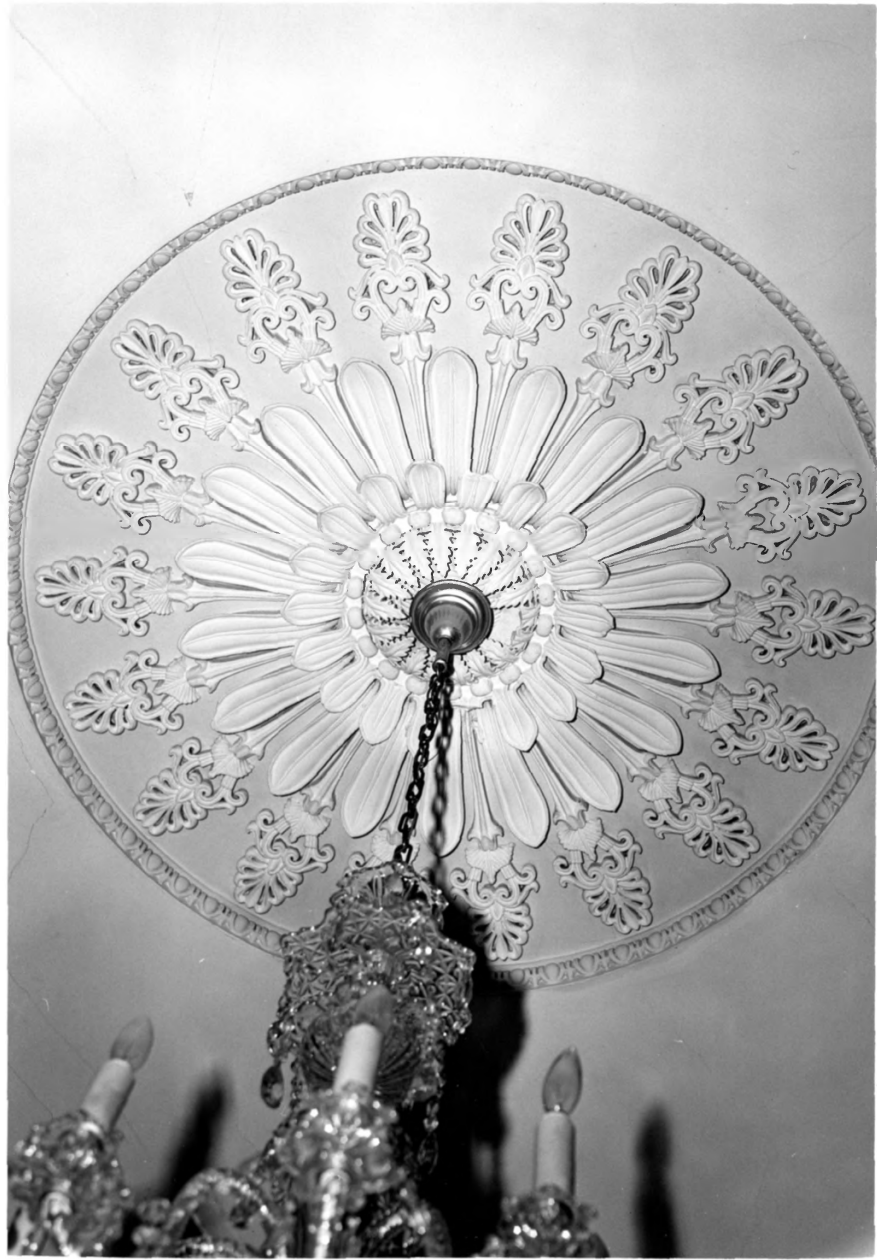


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Photo 14. View into northeast
(front) parlor from south parlor.

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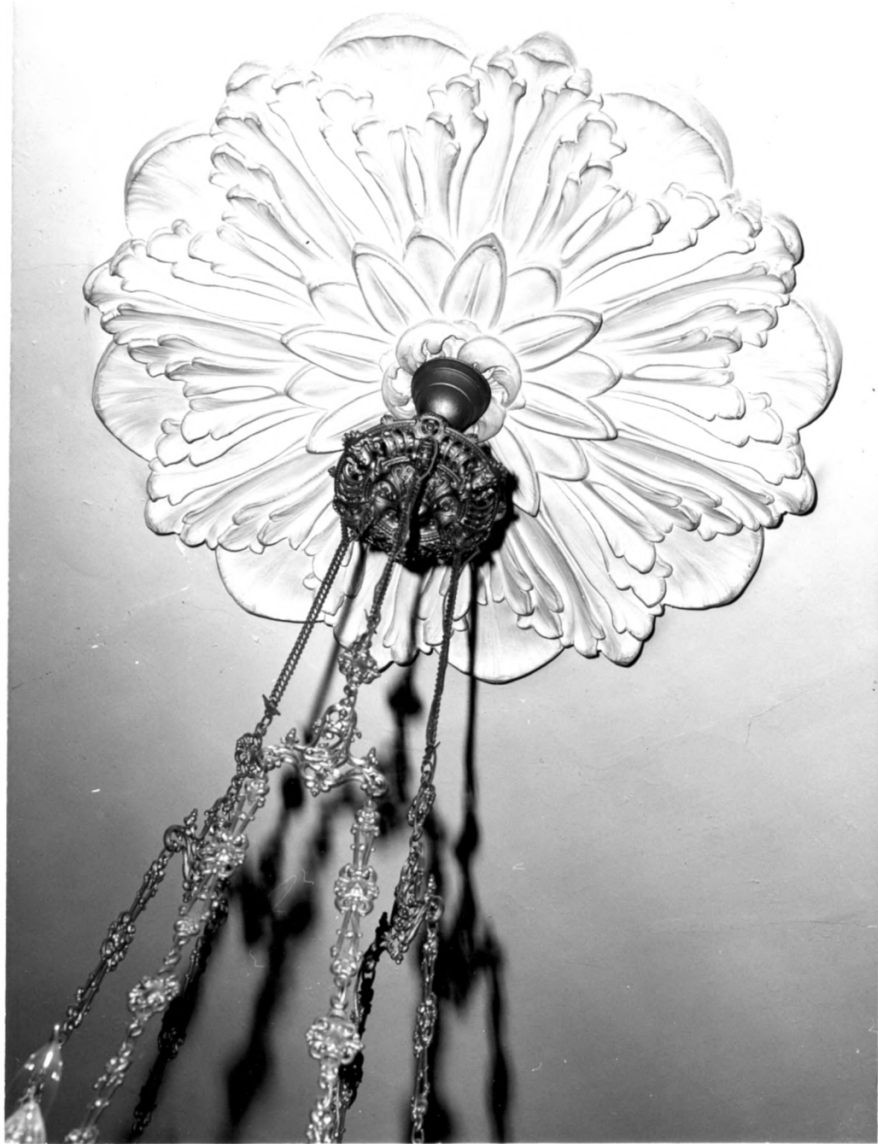
Photo 15. Chandelier medallion
in double parlor.

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Photo 16. Chandelier medallion
in library (south-west corner of
main block); perhaps not original.

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Frankfort. Photo 17. Early mantel
from another house in
basement.

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Photo 18. Overseer's house at

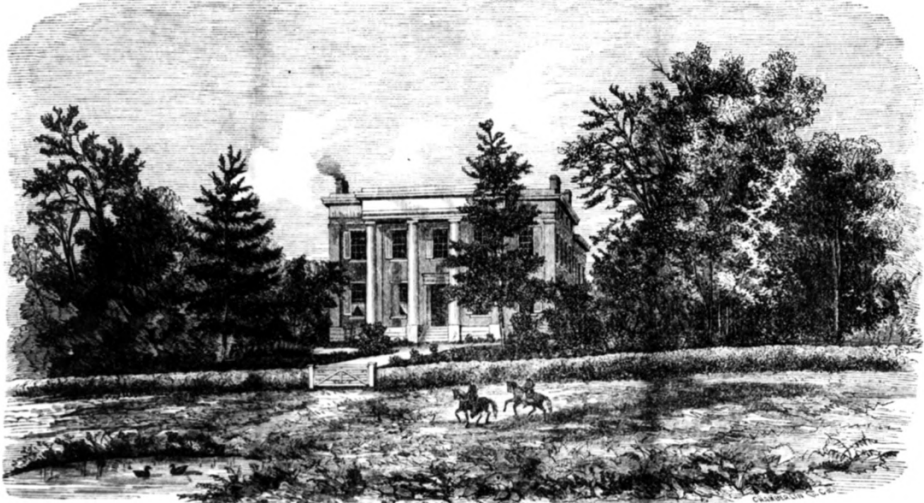
right; guest house in distance left.
Note fountain in present entrance
oval.

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FOR SALE, A LARGE AND SPLENDID FARM, And Extensive and Various Personal Property.



MY HEALTH REQUIRING ME TO SPEND my remaining winters in Florida, I must discontinue Farming and Stock-raising, and I therefore desire to sell the farm on which I have long resided, known as "LOCUST HILL," situated on the Eastern border of Franklin county, Ky., and partly in Woodford, in an upland rolling country of great salubrity of climate and fertility of soil, and not surpassed, all things considered, if, indeed, it is equalled, by any other in the State.

ROADS.

The Louisville and Lexington Railroad, and the State road from Frankfort to Lexington, pass through it, under the same lines of fence—affording a commanding front view of the principal dwelling-house and adjacent grounds; the Frankfort and Versailles Turnpike is on the western boundary; Duckert Depot is within a mile and a half, and thus easy access is had, from all directions, it being five miles from Frankfort, nineteen from Lexington, and seventy from Louisville.

SOCIETY

Is excellent; and religious, educational, and social conveniences abundant and varied.

GENERAL FEATURES.

The farm contains over seven hundred and eighty acres, all under a high state of cultivation, subdivided into twenty fields and pastures, with numerous small lots for stock of all kinds, with four woodlands located on different parts of the farm; all securely and appropriately inclosed by rail, post-and-rail, hedge, and paling fencing, in good condition, made in the best manner, and of the best materials.

THE SOIL,

Originally fertile and covered by dense forests and canebrakes, and underlaid by stratified limestone convenient for fencing, is still kept in a high state of fertility by various enriching processes, thereby producing, in proper rotation, remunerating crops of hemp, corn, wheat, barley, tobacco, and oats, alternating with luxuriant crops of red and white clover, timothy and orchard grass, and, not least, the blue-grass, which is the gold and glory of Kentucky.

THE WOODLANDS,

Of ash, walnut, cherry, oak, hickory, and sugar maple, are well cleaned and set in blue-grass, and not encumbered with weeds or bushes, and afford abundant supplies of fuel and of valuable timber, not only for agricultural, but also for mechanical purposes. Beautiful and valuable groves and rows of black locust have been fostered and planted in various parts of the farm, and the supply of this valuable material is largely beyond the requirements of the farm, and would find ready sale. Several long lines of red cedar have been planted as screens to the fields, orchards, and stock lots, and are in luxuriant growth.

WATER FOR THE FARM

Is supplied by two large and permanent rivulets, numerous perennial springs and their branches, and by small stock ponds, thereby affording water in almost every lot, field, and pasture, while a large cistern and a deep well afford a household supply, and two larger ponds afford fish and bathing in summer, and ice and skating in winter.

THE BUILDINGS

Consist of the family mansion, of brick [here-with illustrated], and of adjacent buildings adequate to accommodate from fifty to one hundred persons; besides three other comfortable dwellings on other parts of the farm, one of which is of brick, with five rooms, another of frame, with six rooms, and the other of logs, &c., with three rooms—all in good repair, and supplied with appropriate out-buildings, making a division of the farm easy and convenient, if at any time it should be desirable, into four separate tracts, each of which would contain appropriate and comfortable dwellings and other improvements.

THE MANSION HOUSE

Was built by me in 1845-'47; all the work of brick, cut stone, and wood, being of the best material, and executed in permanent and tasteful style. It contains twenty rooms, including basement and attic, all neatly and appropriately finished, and fire-proof as far as practicable, and warmed by a furnace, each room having fire-place and grate also. The dwelling fronts to the northwest, having a commanding elevation, and overlooking a grass lawn of eight acres, and a fish pond of two and a quarter acres, under hedge and post-and-rail fences, with the railroad and State road at the foot of the lawn, affording a fine view of passing trains, vehicles, &c.

THE SPACIOUS YARD

Is fully planted with deciduous and evergreen native and exotic trees and shrubs, interspersed with numerous and choice fruit trees of various kinds.

THE GARDEN,

Of over two acres, is inclosed by a paling fence; is of the best soil, and under high cultivation; and is abundantly stocked with trees, vines, bushes, and plants and flowers, conducing to the greatest profit, comfort, and beauty.

THE ORCHARD

Contains over six acres, securely inclosed, and with a cedar hedge on the northwest side of it; is of fertile soil, and is fully planted with a choice collection of apple, pear, peach, and cherry trees, all in bearing; and the location of it, and of the adjacent garden and yard, being high, and with a favorable exposure, the fruit rarely falls, and is abundant now.

THE OBSERVATORY

On the top of the house overlooks a large portion of the farm, and commands a cultivated landscape of uncommon beauty and loveliness. This property is not only well suited in all respects for a large farmer and stock-raiser, but also presents strong inducements as a location for a religious community, a literary or charitable institution, or for a body of immigrants.

A DIVISION OF THE FARM

Can be easily effected, and I will sell separately that part of it which lies on the north side of the railroad, containing over two hundred and sixty-eight acres, all of which is first-rate land, with lasting water, superb timber, with two comfortable tenements, one of brick and the other of logs, with appropriate out-buildings, all yielding valuable and heavy crops of all kinds.

POSSESSION

Can be delivered in time to sow small grain, and completely in October or November next.

THE PAYMENTS

Will be made easy, with one half cash on receiving possession, and the payment of interest on the deferred payments.

Purchasers are invited to inspect the premises in person, or apply by mail for full description.

SALE OF STOCK & PERSONAL PROPERTY.

I will also sell, at public auction, on Tuesday, the fifth of September next, fifteen or twenty head of THOROUGHBRED DURHAM Cows and their calves, the thorough-bred bull DEX or MAPLETON, 7863, and four young Bulls, all having Herd-book Pedigrees, and being of best milking stock;

Also, about one hundred head of my "IMPROVED KENTUCKY" SHEEP, males and females; Also, about one hundred head of CASHMERE or ANGORA GOATS, male and female, full blood, thorough-bred and grade, and all with wool long enough to be shorn;

Also, about one hundred head of FATTENING HOGS, and sows and pigs of best practical farm breed;

Also, thirty or forty head of MANES and Horses, of all ages, and good for farm, and draft, and saddle;

Also, fifty to one hundred acres of Corn in the shock or field, and Hay and Oats in the stack;

Also, Farm Machinery and Implements of all kinds, and Blacksmiths' and Carpenters' Tools, &c.

Full particulars will be given in handbill form, which will be sent to applicants by mail.

Terms—Cash for all sums under one hundred dollars; and approved negotiable notes at four months for all sums over that amount.

ROBERT W. SCOTT.

NEAR FRANKFORT, KY., JUNE 27, 1871.

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Advertisement of property by Robert
Wilmot Scott. Photo 1. Engraving
shows house from north. **SEP 9 1976**

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