

Owen county, Kentucky, about the year 1850, and was the owner of the town site.

William Holman erected the first house that was built in the town. The first hotel was opened by Julius Rogers. Dr. J. J. Watts was the first physician to practice in the town. Dr. E. F. Wilson was the first resident physician. The first school was taught by Ansel Richardson, from Virginia. William Wagner and James Maddox were the first shoemakers, and W. M. Roberts and Cyrus Clifton were the pioneer blacksmiths.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

P. S. Baker, drugs and post-master; J. B. Lambeth, general merchandise; J. J. Grouss, general merchandise; N. Wiseman & Bro., general merchandise; J. M. Fidler, shoemaker; J. F. Rogers, hotel; T. A. Morgan, boarding-house.

The town contains a Baptist church and a free school; it also has railroad and telegraph facilities, a daily mail, and has a population of about 150.

