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## 26 East 6th Street



Digging Cincinnati History

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## 26 E 6th

Hamilton County Auditor Year Built - 1905

**City Directories** - [http://virtuallibrary.cincinnati.org/virtuallibrary/vl\\_citydir.aspx](http://virtuallibrary.cincinnati.org/virtuallibrary/vl_citydir.aspx)

1905

Meyer, Wise & Kaichen (Samuel R M, Sig W & Arnold H K) wh furng gds 24 E 6th

Kaichen Arnold H (Meyer, Wise & K) 24 E 6th h 108 E Auburn Av

Meyer Samuel R (M, Wise & Kaichen) 24 E 6th h 506 Hale Av

Wise Sig (Meyer, W & Kaichen) 24 E 6th h 3408 Burnet Av

1910

Meyer, Wise & Kaichen Co (The) Samuel R. Meyer pres Sig Wise v pres Arnold H Kaichen treas J Edward Ehlen  
secy, wh furnishers 26 E 6th

1915

Meyer, Wise & Kaichen Co (The) Samuel R. Meyer pres Sig Wise v pres Arnold H Kaichen treas J Edward Ehlen  
secy wh furnishers 26 E 6th

1920

Meyer, Wise & Kaichen Co (The) Samuel R. Meyer pres Sig Wise v pres Arnold H Kaichen treas Otto G Decker  
secy, wh furnishers 26 E 6th

1925

Meyer, Wise & Kaichen Co (The) Samuel R Meyer pres Sig Wise v pres Arnold H Kaichen treas Arthur M Spiegel  
secy, wh furnishers 24 E 6th

1930-31

24-26 Liberal Savings Bldg

24 Liberal Savings & Loan Co

24 Beall Wm E lawyer

24 Naylor David F lawyer

24 (2d fl) Kirschner Restaurants (Inc)

24 (7th fl) Commercial Mutual Ins Co of Cinti (The)

24 (7th fl) Cincinnati League for the Hard of Hearing

24 (8th fl) Central Acceptance Corporation (The)

24 (8th fl) Kane Lawrence A lawyer

24 (8th fl) Meyer J Arthur atty

1935

24-26 Liberal Savings Bldg

Rooms:

2d fl Kirschner Restaurants (Inc)

3d fl Cincinnati Unity Center

502 Frankel Enterprises real est

502 Frankel Realty Co (The)

514 Queen City Letter Shop

314 Roll Elizabeth M public steno

315 Fussinger Emile C acct  
313 Kessler Jack I watchmkr  
313 Stollman Luella tchr of stenography  
516 Allied Van Lines Inc  
518 Libbert John C real est  
601 Teeppen Herbert G duplicating machines  
601 Todd Sales Co bankers' supplies  
602 Clark C Clive lawyer  
602 Fallon Harry P lawyer  
602 Levi Jack W real est  
802 Mason Morry M real est  
602 Realty Enterprises  
803 Commercial Adjustment Co collectors  
603 Schrader Herman H lawyer  
603 Wetland Louis lawyer  
604 Dragul Wm L collections  
604 San-Dris Co signs  
606 Naylor & Pulse lawyers  
608 Citizenship Council  
611 Air-Way Branch of Cin'ti vacuum cleaners  
618 Style Center Tailoring Co  
614 Downey Frank J chiropractor  
617 Parkway Club  
700 Rosicrucian Order  
7th fl Berean Bible Students  
7th fl Cincinnati League for the Hard of Hearing

1940

24-26 Liberal Savings Bldg

Rooms:

2d fl Kirschner Restaurant Inc

3d fl Cincinnati Unity Center

502 Frankel Enterprises real est  
Frankel Realty Co

503 Citizenship Council

505 Vacant

506 Vacant

508 Doctor's Service Bureau  
Signode Steel Strapping Co  
Byers Geo W acct  
Cincinnati Dental Society

512 Nogen Morris lawyer

513 Building Service Employees Union No 138A  
Window Cleaners Union Local No 158

514 Queen City Letter Shop

515 Fussinger Emile O acct  
Kassler Jack I watchmkr  
Stollman Luella tchr of stenography

516 Allied Van Lines Inc  
Kofmehl Albert J importer

- 601 Beck Duplicator Sales Agency duplicating machines
  - Speed-O-Print duplicating machines
  - Wolber Duplicator Co
  - Niagara Sales & Service ice office supplies
- 602 Todd Sales Co office supplies
- 603 Commercial Adjustment Co collections
  - Dragul Wm L ins
  - San-Driss Co signs
  - Schrader Herman H lawyer
  - Block Mandell J acct
  - Taxation & Valuation Service real est
  - Wetland Louis lawyer
- 605 Hearing Inc acoustic apparatus
- 606 Superior Collecting Service
  - Ogden Sarah F lawyer
- 607 Witherspoon Helen A lawyer
  - Falcon Electric Co
- 608 Meyer's Julia Employment Bureau
- 610 Standard System Inc office supplies
- 613 Deane Myra Co food products
  - Normalating Health Service baths
- 614 Downey Frank J chiropractor
- 617 Vacant
- 7th fl Cincinnati League for the Hard of Hearing letter shop div
  - Berean Bible Students
  - Cincinnati League for the Hard of Hearing

1953

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|--|---|
| <p>24-26 United States Fidelity &amp; Guaranty Bldg</p> <p>1st fl Δ United States Fidelity &amp; Guaranty Co ins</p> <p>Δ Fidelity and Guaranty Ins Corp</p> <p>Rooms:</p> <p>2d fl Δ Cinti Retail Merchants Assn</p> <p>Δ Credit Bureau of Cinti Inc</p> <p>304-08 Schenley Distillers Inc (receiving dept)</p> <p>4th fl Schenley Distillers Inc (traffic dept)</p> <p>Schenley Distillers Inc (public relations dept)</p> <p>5th fl Schenley Distillers Inc (industrial relations dept and retirement and benefit dept)</p> <p>501 Schenley Distillers Inc (foreign operation dept)</p> | <p>502 Δ Casper Jos M</p> <p>503-04 Δ Dillhoff Jos T Ins Agcy</p> <p>Δ Dillhoff Chas C acct</p> <p>Δ Niedenthal Caroline Estate</p> <p>505 Δ Reemelin Walter G ins</p> <p>Δ Ditmars John A ins</p> <p>506 Δ Erb Alf W phys</p> <p>Δ Hoyt Chas W phys</p> <p>Δ Shor Adolph phys</p> <p>Δ Whalen Danl A phys</p> <p>Δ Seroggins Clayton L Associates</p> <p>508 Δ Doctors' Service Bureau</p> <p>Δ Schwartz Abe L phys</p> <p>Δ Krakauer Max phys</p> <p>6th-7th-8th fls Schenley Distillers Inc,</p> <p>Street continued</p> |
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1960

24-26 E 6th

United States Fidelity & Guaranty Bldg

1st fl United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co Inc

2nd fl Credit Bureau of Cinti Inc

3rd fl Cinti Retail Merchants Assn

4th fl Schenley Distillers Inc

Rooms:

501-05 Vacant

503-04 Dillhoff Jos T Ins Agcy

Dillhoff Chas E acct

Niedenthal Caroline Estate

505 Reemelin Walter G ins

Ditmars John A ins

506 Vacant

507 Vacant

508 Krakauer Max phys

Doctors' Service Bureau

509-13 Schenley Distillers Inc (stge)

514-15 Vacant

516 Schenley International Corp (dept foreign operations) distillers

6th fl Schenley Distillers Inc (bulk goods dept)

Schenley Distillers Inc (appraisal dept)

Schenley Research Industries Inc (central blending and quality control laby)

7th fl Schenley Distillers Inc (traffic dept)

8th fl Schenley Distillers Inc (ofc management dept)

Schenley Distillers Inc (engineering dept)

Schenley Distillers Inc (ofc)

Schenley Distillers Inc (grain dept)

1965

24-26 E 6th

United States Fidelity & Guaranty Bldg

1st fl United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co 621-5430

2nd fl Vacant

3rd fl Cinti Retail Merchants Assn 381-1380

Cinti Shippers Assoc 381-1382

4th fl Schenley Distillers Inc (ofc)

501-02 Vacant

503-04 Dillhoff Jos T Ins Agcy

Dillhoff Chas E (ofc) 621-4268

Niedenthal Caroline Estate 621-4268

505 Reemelin Walter G ins 621-5430

506-07 Cinti Enquirer (Tel Sls Rm) 241-3056

508 Vacant

509-13 Schenley Distillers Inc (stge)

514-16 Vacant

6th-7th-8th fls Schenley Distillers Inc 621-3170

1970

24 E 6th

United States Fidelity & Guaranty Building

301 Cincinnati Better Business Bureau Inc 421-3015

308 Cinti Bell Inc (plant dept)

4th fl Vacant

501 Vacant

502 United States Fidelity & Guaranty Cos (ofc)

503 Dillhoff Joseph T Insurance Agency 621-4268

505 Vacant

506 Cincinnati Enquirer (Tel Sta) 241-3056

506 Silbertson Louis H Association circulation promotion 241-3056

508 U S Fidelity & Guarantee (Accounting Dept)

516 Fischbach & Moore

Gustav Hirsh Organization Elec Contr 721-7717

6th Flr Nolan E J Corp – Kerby Saunders Inc Mechanical Contrs 721-8500

6th Flr Turner Construction Co (Field Ofc) 241-1603

7th Flr & 8th Flr Vacant

1975

24 E 6th

Rooms

303 Cincinnati Better Business Bureau Inc 421-3015

305 Vacant

306 Trustee In Bankruptcy (Ofc Trustee Chapter Xiii) 621-4488

308 Vacant

400 Cincinnati Bar Assn 381-8213

402 Cinti Bell Inc (Plant Dept)

403 Graser-Rothe M A customhse brokers 621-1563

501 Chenault W J & Associates real est appr-consultant 579-1531

501 Grady Dan Realty real est 579-1531

502 Kems John O & Associates pub relations counsel 241-1333

503 Vacant

505 Vacant

506 Cinti-Hamilton County Criminal Justice Reg Plng 621-9304

508 Vacant

516 Cinti Enquirer tel sls rm 241-3056

516 Silbertson Louis H Assn circulation promotion 241-3056

6th Fl Vacant

7th Fl Coffee Break Services 579-0144

7th Fl C & W Enterprises real est inv 579-0144

8th Fl Tallarico Hoeffel & Partners consulting engs 241-3222

8th Fl Miller Arth Assocs Inc consulting engs 421-3363

8th Fl Z M Consultants consulting engs 421-3363

8th Fl Ziel-Blossom & Associates Inc consulting engs 421-3363



1980-81

LODGE BEGINS  
24 Wheel Cafe 721-2323  
BUILDING  
FLOORS  
1st Fl Dagwood & Deli Cookies On The  
Square ret bakery 241-4356  
OFFICE BUILDING  
FLOORS  
2dfl Williams Directory Co 721-5140  
ROOMS  
303 Cincinnati Better Business Bureau  
Inc 421-3015  
305 Vacant  
306 Trustee In Bankruptcy (Ofc Trustee  
Chapter Xiii) 621-4488  
308 Wagner Esther lwyr 621-6575  
400 Cincinnati Bar Assn 381-8213  
402 Cinti Bell Inc (Plant Dept)  
501 Vacant  
502 Kems John O & Associates pub  
relations counsel 241-1333  
503 Reagan Ronald (Campaign Hq)  
505 Vacant  
506 Cinti-Hamilton Cnty Criminal  
Justice (Reg Plan) 621-9304  
508 Vacant  
26 Williams Directory Co (Contract Exam  
Dept) 721-5140  
515 Vacant  
516 Eyer Walter Drama Studio 2 tchr  
drama 721-6610  
6thfl Spectrum Products ofc supplies  
241-3399  
Copy Service 241-3399  
7thfl Ohio Sales Enterprises real est inv  
579-0144  
7thfl Radec Realty 579-0144  
7th Fl Dase Imports symmetry leathers  
621-4499  
8th Fl Wellman Modeling Studio  
381-6996  
28 Office Bldg

1985

25 Cheese Villa snack bar 421-2174  
26 Twenty Six East Sixth Street Building  
FLOORS  
Hennessy Incorporated business forms  
421-3776  
Cincinnati Bell Serv coml serv  
397-4266  
2d Fl Vacant  
ROOMS  
303 Cincinnati Better Business Bureau  
Inc 421-3015  
305 Vacant  
306 Trustee In Bankruptcy (Ofc Trustee  
Chapter Xiii) 621-4488  
308 Wagner Esther lwyr 621-6575  
400 Cincinnati Bar Assn 381-8213  
402 Cinti Bell Inc (Plant Dept)  
501 Ohio Coffee Service vending  
597-0267  
501 Ohio Business Services Inc real est  
inv 597-0267  
502 N A A C P Litigation Office  
organization 621-6188  
503 Radec Realty Co 579-0144  
505 Vacant  
506 Turner Construction Co ofc  
421-7744  
507 E F C Enterprises real est 241-2404  
508 Vacant  
513 Patton Harold Y business broker  
241-2484  
515 Vacant  
516 Eyer Walter Drama Studio No 2  
tchr drama 721-6610  
6thfl Spectrum Computer Products ofc  
products 241-3399  
Copy Service 241-3399  
6th Fl Spectrum Computer Products  
(Annex)  
7th Fl Dase Imports whol jwlry  
621-4499  
7th Fl F M S Insurance 381-0811  
8th Fl Wellman Kathleen Professional  
Images modeling sch 381-6996  
28 Office Building

1991 Polk City Directory

26 Twenty Six East Sixth Street Building  
Rooms  
2dfl Moler-Hollywood Beauty School  
621-5262  
302 Castleberry Edw F & Assocs real  
est mgmt 241-2404  
302 E F C Enterprises real est 241-2404  
302 Radec Realty Inc 241-2404  
303 Vacant  
304 Snappy Sign Cntr magnetic signs  
381-7444  
305-402 Vacant (6 Rms)  
501 Newman Mark R chiro 651-0008  
510 Ohio Building Servs Inc real est  
inv 597-0267

# 1991 Continued

513 Vacant  
 514 Blue Chip City Business Brokers  
 381-3301  
 515 Spectrum Document Services annex  
 516 Vacant  
 603 Spectrum Document Services ofc  
 sups 241-2510  
 608 Bieser Photography 721-6799  
 608 Flischel Robert A Photography  
 381-4164  
 701 Day David Designer graphic design  
 621-4060  
 8thfl Small Business Center ofc  
 801 Young Patricia K lwyr 651-1005  
 801 Guttman Fred & Associates mgmt  
 consultants 421-0768  
 801 Melchior & Associates psychologist  
 801 Caston Howard L voc coun 421-0447  
 803 Wellman Kathleen Professional  
 Images modeling sch 381-6996  
 805 Harrington Enterprises small  
 business center 421-0444  
 805 Harris Marketing Inc 748-1544  
 28 Office Building

# 1995

BEARG CO .....-2501 C003 421-0643  
 24 TACO BELL .....-2518 C043 421-0402  
 26 ABEL OLIVER  
 SCHUMACHER  
 YOUNG &  
 ASSOCIATES .....-2524 C043 381-3301

**E 6th St (CINCINNATI) (cont'd)**

| Address                               | Zip+4CarrRt | Phone    |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|----------|
| 26 BLUE CHIP CITY<br>BUSINESS BROKERS | -2524 C043  | 381-3301 |
| 26 CASTLEBERRY E F &<br>ASSOCIATES    | -2524 C043  | 241-2404 |
| 26 Finucan John L CPA                 | -2524 C043  | 621-1395 |
| 26 Flischel Robt A                    | -2524 C043  | 381-4164 |
| 26 FLISCHEL ROBT A<br>PHOTOGRAPHY     | -2524 C043  | 381-4164 |
| 26 GUTTMAN FRED<br>ASSOCIATES INC     | -2524 C043  | 421-4673 |
| 26 HARRIS MARKETING<br>INC            | -2524 C043  | 621-1869 |
| 26 MOLER-HOLLYWOOD<br>BEAUTY COLLEGE  | -2524 C043  | 621-5262 |
| 26 SMALL BUSINESS<br>CENTER           | -2524 C043  | 421-0444 |
| 26 SPECKTRUM<br>DOCUMENT<br>SERVICES  | -2524 C043  | 241-2510 |
| 27 DOOLEY'S                           | -2501 C003  | 421-2174 |

# 2000

**ZIP CODE 45202 CAR-RT C023**  
 24 AKASH INDIA INC eating places  
 ..... 723-1300  
 TACO BELL STORE 3369 eating  
 places ..... 421-0402  
 26 ANCO PROPERTIES INC aprmt bldg  
 optrs ..... 651-5553  
 26 Not Verified  
 Fovel Peter F   
 JONES THE FLORIST INC florists  
 ..... 421-7555

# 2005 Criss Cross Directory

**TIME STORE**

|    |                       |              |    |
|----|-----------------------|--------------|----|
| 24 | ★ AKASH INDIA RESTRNT | 513-723-1300 | 8  |
| 26 | ★ ECHELON MANGMNT     | 513-621-8000 | 6  |
|    | ★ MIDDLE EARTH        | 513-241-5999 | +5 |
|    | DEVELOPERS            |              |    |
| 29 | ★ JONES THE FLORIST   | 513-421-7555 |    |

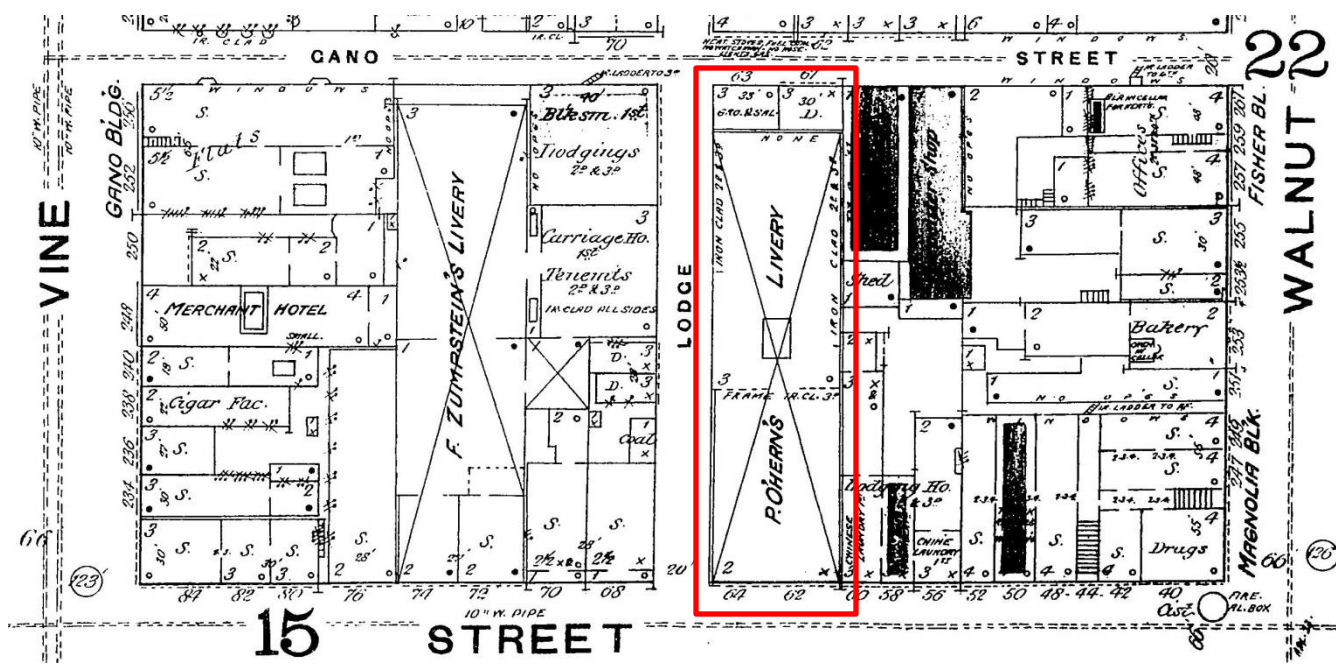
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|   |          |    |
|---|----------|----|
| SPECTRUM DOCUMENT<br>SERVICES data proc<br>preparat           | 241-2510 |    |
| 2 MOLER-HOLLYWOOD BEAUTY<br>COLLEGE beauty shops              | 621-5262 | 21 |
| 5 CASTLEBERRY EDWARD F<br>OHIO SALES CO nrsdntl<br>bldg optrs | 241-2404 | 21 |
| 300 ECHELON MANAGEMENT<br>schs edctl svcs                     | 621-8000 | 22 |
| 304 FLISCHEL ROBERT A<br>PHOTOGRAPHY photo<br>stdios prtrt    | 381-4164 |    |
| 304 INTERNET commnctn svcs<br>nec                             | 887-8877 |    |
| 401 BRAMLAGE C D & CO(INC)<br>acctng audtng bkp               | 721-7744 |    |
| 801 HARRIS MARKETING busn<br>svcs                             | 621-1869 |    |



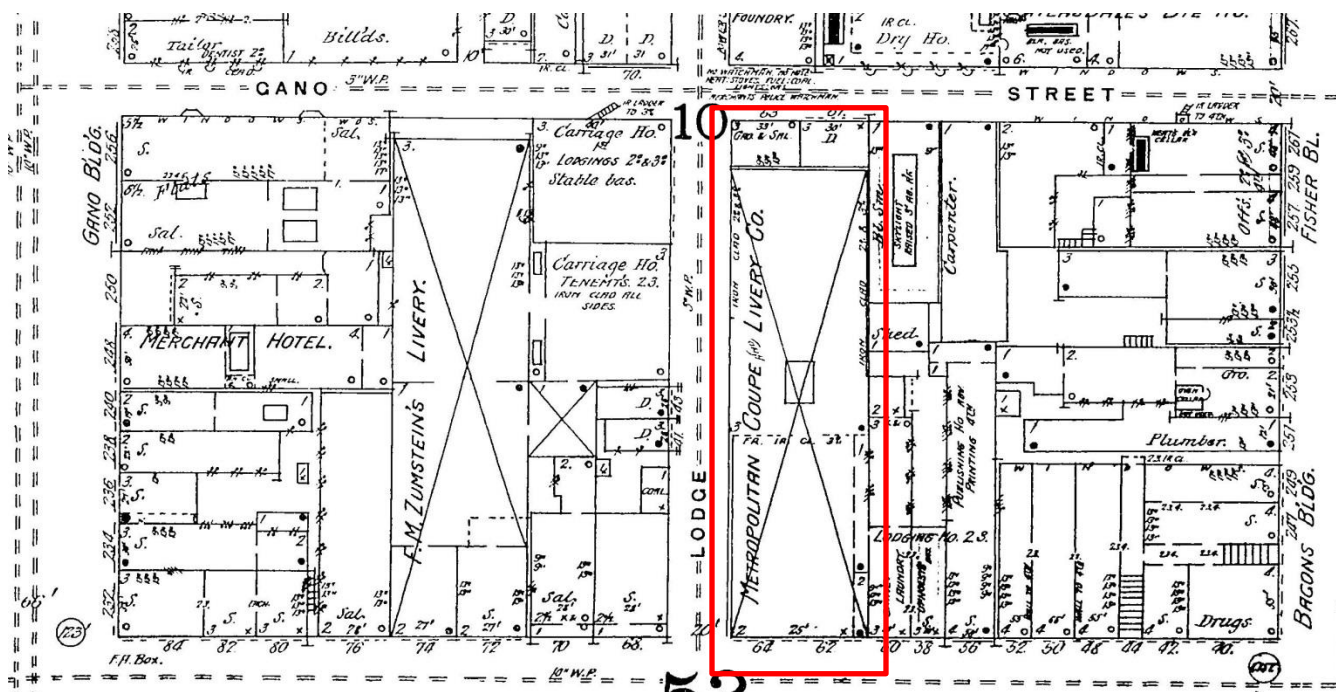
2010

restaurants .....  
26 MIDDLE EARTH DEVELOPERS  
nonclassified establishments  
.....513-241-5999  
201 ① Stark Andrew H & Kimberlee W  
▲  
202 Devito Daniel J & Jessica R [5] ▲  
204 ② Busterna Joseph C ▲  
204 ② Ross Lauren E ...513-263-1001  
204 ② Taylor Lauren R  
302 Herr Joseph R [8] ▲  
.....513-421-3163  
303 McKenna Kristy S [8] ▲  
304 ② Absher Sarah N ▲  
304 Shinseki Kyle K [9] ▲  
305 Mathews James K [2] ▲  
305 Mathews Emily  
401 Reik Patricia R [8] ▲  
402 Zell Jennifer E [8] ▲  
403 Dunn Alex C [5]  
403 ① Flee Erica L  
404 Sterwerf Christopher S [4]  
404 Sterwerf Donna  
404 Sturgeon Donna J [6] ▲  
405 Bartels Betina L [8] ▲  
501 Enzweiler Gary J & Karla G [8] ▲  
.....513-281-3525  
502 ① Neidich Marci J  
504 Conklin Joseph T [3] ▲  
505 Regina Alexandre S [6] ▲  
601 Newmark Kenneth J & Susan W  
[8] ▲ .....513-631-3322  
602 Meyer Richard M [8] ▲  
.....513-241-0342  
603 Johnson Carver A [8] ▲  
.....513-527-4993  
603 Johnson Algernon C  
.....513-527-4993  
604 Miller Matthew C [2] ▲  
605 Trebes Thomas D & Sherry L [5]  
.....513-979-4372  
701 Zaun Gregory O [4] ▲  
701 Zaun Jamie T  
702 Beachler Craig R [8] ▲  
.....513-834-8374  
801 ② Heberlein Scott J & Tabitha B  
802 Greer Donald S [3] ▲  
802 Stenanski Jennifer [4]  
803 Meyer Jill P [4]  
29 JONES THE FLORIST florists-retail



1887 Sanborn Insurance Map

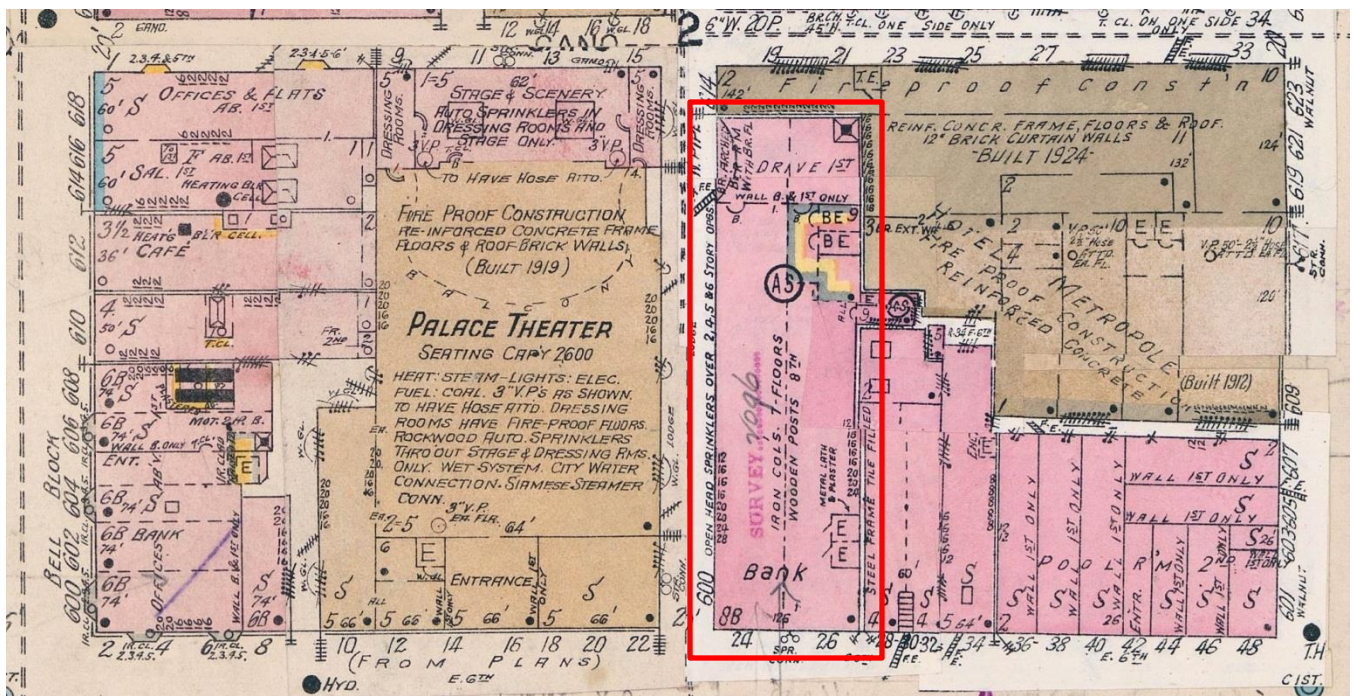
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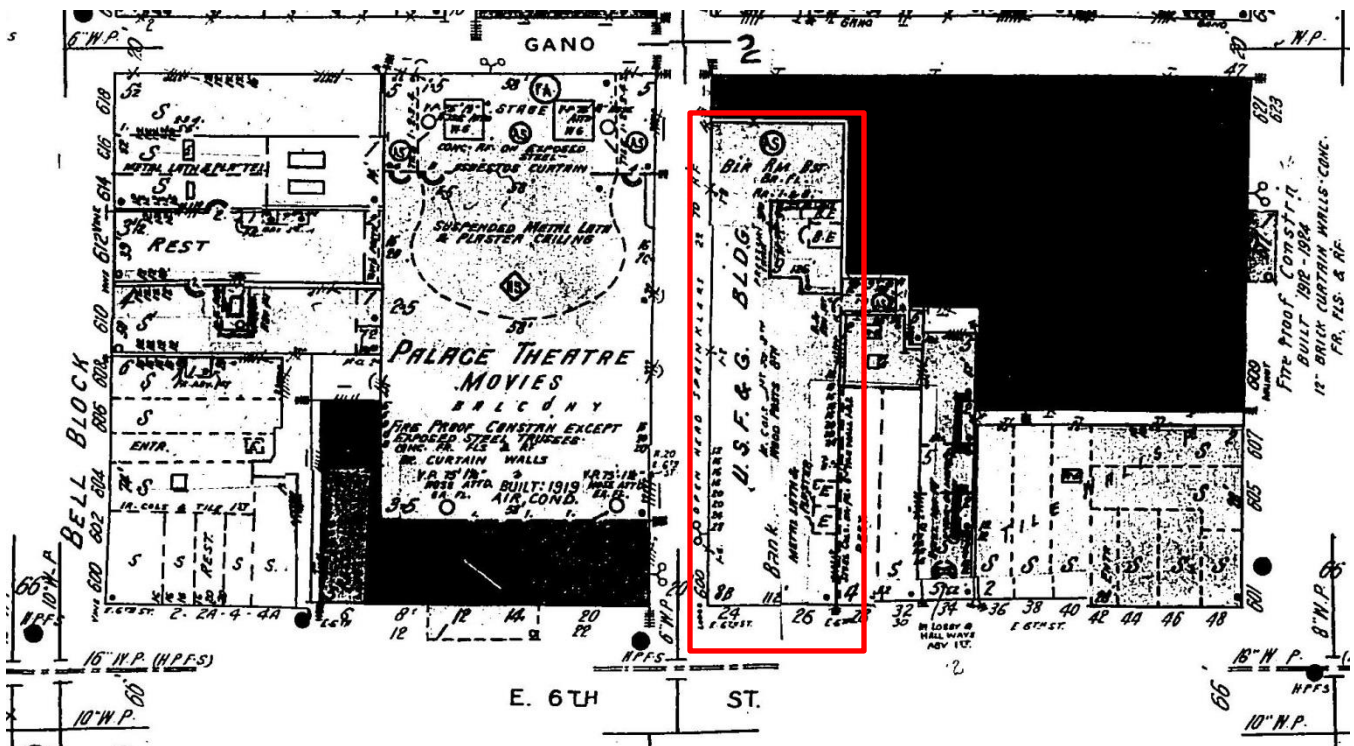
1891 Sanborn Insurance Map

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1904-1930 Sanborn Insurance Map



1950 Sanborn Insurance Map

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LOST: Is the Corner Stone of Old Church at Sixth and Lodge.  
Cincinnati Enquirer (1872-1922); Jan 22, 1904;  
ProQuest Historical Newspapers: The Cincinnati Enquirer (1841 - 1922)  
pg. 12

## LOST

### Is the Corner Stone of Old Church at Sixth and Lodge.

"Lost—One corner stone."

This line may have to be inserted in some advertising column before the corner-stone is located that workmen on the old church building at Sixth street and Lodge alley are now searching for.

Some days ago, when the razing of the old church was begun to make room for a modern seven-story mercantile house for Meyer, Wise & Kaichen, orders were given by Mr. Christian Boss, owner of the property, to have the corner stone, when found, turned over to him. A careful watch has been kept by the contractor who is razing the old church building, but up to last night the stone had not been found, although the building has been taken down to the ground. The theory that the corner stone may have been set in the foundation under the ground has been advanced by some, and in taking out the stone work the corners of the building will be carefully examined for some old box or hollow stone containing relics of the days in which the building was erected.

Cincinnati Enquirer (1872-1922); Mar 11, 1905;  
ProQuest Historical Newspapers: The Cincinnati Enquirer (1841 - 1922)  
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# Meyer, Wise & Kaichen,

24 and 26 E. Sixth St. (near Vine.)

## WHOLESALE.

Visiting buyers who desire to see the most elaborate assortment of seasonable merchandise are invited to inspect our mammoth stocks in our new location; 90,000 square feet of salesrooms. Every department replete with the brightest, newest and most attractive goods in this market. Hosiery, Underwear, Sweaters, Gloves, Shirts, Shirt Waists, Skirts, Suits, Muslin Underwear, Wrappers, Kimonos, Laces, Ribbons, Embroideries, Children's Headwear, Linens, Lace Curtains, White Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Notions, &c.

## MEYER, WISE & KAICHEN,

24 and 26 East Sixth Street.

## FROM NORTHERN ALASKA

### Comes Big Order To Cincinnati Firm as Result of Enquirer Ad.

Cincinnati boosters are proud over the receipt of another testimonial that the Queen City is "the world's business center." It is an order for nearly \$1,000 worth of goods received a few days ago by the Mayer, Wise & Kaichen Company, wholesale dry-goods and notion house, of East Sixth avenue, from a firm in Hot Springs, Alaska—a town in the most northerly part of that territory, almost opposite the Siberian shores. The buyers are Howard & Smith, engaged in a general merchandise and miners' supply business. The order was immediately filled and shipped in heavy packing cases, lined with oil paper and burlap, and iron strapped.

The order came indirectly as the result of an advertisement the local concern has been carrying in THE ENQUIRER's weekly classified directory. It was seen there by Mr. Smith's brother, a Richmond (Indiana) banker, who, at the instance of his Alaskan brother, secured spring and fall catalogues and forwarded them. The Alaska firm found that they could buy its goods cheaper in Cincinnati than in Seattle, from which city most shipments to Alaska have heretofore been made.

The distance between Cincinnati and the destination of the local firm's shipment and the difficulties encountered en route are both so great that it took the letter containing the order a full month to reach here.

In a letter received by the local firm from Mr. Smith he tells of a new strike of gold 130 miles below Tananas on the Novi River. There was a stampede to the new territory, he wrote, over 3 thousand people getting on the ground inside of three weeks. He himself has three claims staked, the indications being that they would be worth about \$225,000.

## ODD ELEVATOR ACCIDENT

**Which Turned In Automatic Fire Alarm and Started Sprinklers.**

A remarkable elevator accident in which no one was injured occurred yesterday morning at the establishment of Meyer, Wise & Kaichen, notion manufacturers, at Sixth and Lodge alley. The cable of the elevator broke while the cab, which was empty, was stationed at the eighth floor. The cab dropped like a shot to the basement, struck the pneumatic cushions and rebounded to the seventh floor, where it stopped.

The friction of the descending car so heated the air in the shaft that the automatic fire alarm apparatus was melted, turning in an alarm of fire at the Fire Tower and causing the pipes in the factory to begin sprinkling the floor. Employees in the building were astonished when a fire engine backed up to the door. Although the cab of the elevator was so tightly packed that it was necessary to summon workmen to disassemble it from the outside, it was not in the least damaged.

Through an agreement entered into between the Meyer, Wise & Kaichen Company and the Union Savings Bank and Trust Company, trustee, the former corporation will pay an annual rent of \$16,000 for the loft building, northeast corner of Sixth street and Lodge alley.

The lessee has just completed a 10 years' occupancy of the property, which belongs to the Boss heirs, and the lease executed yesterday is for three years, with the privilege of a renewal up to the latter part of 1928. The rent to be paid under the extension period has not been stipulated.

The character of the block has undergone quite a change during the past 10 years. Some brokers believe it to be the most radical in any one square in the city proper during a decade.

# OFFICIAL

## Of Finance Firm Dies.

**Arnold H. Kaichen Held High Rank In Masonic Order — Services To Be Tomorrow.**

Arnold H. Kaichen, Executive Vice President of the Security Savings and Loan Company, died yes-

terday at his home, The Belvedere, after a brief illness.

A native of Detroit, Mr. Kaichen had lived in Cincinnati for more than 50 years. He formerly was Secretary-Treasurer of the Meyer, Wise and Kaichen Company. He would have been 75 years old next month.

Mr. Kaichen was active in business until last week. A thirty-second degree Mason, he had belonged to Kilwinning Lodge for many years.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Beatrice Troy Kaichen, Mr. Kaichen is survived by two sons, Troy Kaichen, Cincinnati, and Howard A. Kaichen, Detroit.

Services will be conducted at

10:30 o'clock tomorrow at the Well funeral home, 3901 Reading Road. The body is to be cremated.

Honary pallbearers include Samuel Sturm, Charles Eisen, Sidney Pritz, Joseph Rauh, Ben Heidingsfeld, Samuel Ach, Max Stern, William Miller, Warren Richards, and Irwin M. Krohn, all of Cincinnati, and John Heavenrich, Detroit.

### EXHIBIT TO CLOSE.

An exhibit of plastics at the Industrial Museum of Ohio Mechanics Institute will close this afternoon, officials announced. The display, scheduled to be shown in 30 states this year, will be dismantled and shipped after this afternoon's showing. There is no admission charge.

Cincinnati Enquirer; April 25, 1938; p10

## Savings and Loan Official Passes

**Rites for Arnold H. Kaichen Set for Tuesday.**



ARNOLD H. KAICHEN

Rabbi James G. Heller, Wise Temple, will officiate at funeral services for Arnold H. Kaichen, 74, executive vice president and founder of the Security Savings & Loan Company, Tuesday, at 10:30 a. m. in the Well funeral home. The body will be cremated.

Kaichen died Sunday at his home, Belvedere Apartments, Reading Road and Clinton Springs Avenue, Avondale, after a short illness. He had been an official of the firm since its founding in 1929 and formerly was secretary-treasurer of the Meyer, Wise & Kaichen Company, jobbers.

Active in Masonic circles, Kaichen held the rank of Thirty-second Degree and was a member of the Shrine, Scottish Rite and Kilwinning Lodge.

His widow, Mrs. Beatrice Troy Kaichen; two sons, Troy Kaichen, Cincinnati, and Howard A. Kaichen, Detroit, and three grandchildren, survive. A native of Detroit, he lived in Cincinnati 50 years.

Honorary pallbearers include Samuel Sturm, Charles Eisen, Sidney Pritz, Joseph Rauh, Ben Heidingsfeld, Samuel Ach, Max Stern, William Miller, Warren Richards and Irwin M. Krohn, all of Cincinnati, and John Heavenrich, Detroit.

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**In Former Wholesaling Company  
Dies After Long Illness —  
Retired For 12 Years.**

Sigmund Wise, a partner in the Cincinnati firm of Meyer, Wise & Kaichen, wholesalers of men's and women's furnishings, died last night at the Hotel Alms, where he lived, after a long illness.

Mr. Wise, who was 86 years old, retired 12 years ago when the firm was dissolved. Born in Austria, he settled in Cincinnati when he was 10 years old.

His many affiliations included membership in the Shrine, Losantiville Country Club and Cincinnati Club. He has been active in civic affairs most of his life.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Nannie B. Wise, he leaves three daughters Mrs. Arthur M. Spiegel, wife of a former Municipal Judge; Mrs. Mildred Meiss, wife of the President of the Putnam Candy Co., and Mrs. Alex Wachtel, wife of a Tampa, Fla., engineer, and a son, Sol Wise, Cleveland inventor and lock engineer.

Arrangements are in charge of the Weil funeral home, Avondale.

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