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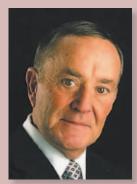
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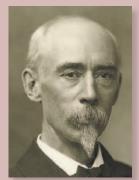
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Portman Equipment
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### Master of Ceremonies: Kathrine Nero - WCPO



Kathrine Nero came to WCPO-TV in 1998 from her hometown Memphis, which is evident in her slight (at least she considers it slight) southern drawl.

She worked five years as Channel 9's weekend sports

anchor/reporter before moving to the news anchor desk on Good Morning Tri-State in 2002. She thinks the 2:30 a.m. wake up call is karma paying her back for refusing to wake up "in single digits" throughout college.

Kathrine was raised on a steady diet of SEC football and college basketball. She began her career in sports while still in college, where she worked with the men's basketball and football programs in the Memphis Tiger sports information department for four years. She got her break in television covering sports there, and moved to the Queen City in 1998.

Kathrine gets asked two questions regularly: "How tall are you?" (answer: 4'11"); and, "Do you miss sports?" (answer: Absolutely. Especially covering the Reds, but I wanted a new challenge and GMTS gave me a great opportunity to try something different.)

But her claim to fame is her status as a former tour guide at Elvis Presley's Graceland, a job she says prepared her for the world of tv more than anything she's ever done. Kathrine is also an accomplished flutist, having played with several orchestras and symphonies through the years. She's also a regular performer at her church.

Locally, Kathrine's active in her church, several charities, and is a board member of the Family Nurturing Center, an organization committed to ending the cycle of child abuse.

Kathrine is married with two daughters and lives in Covington, where her sewing room keeps her busy during time away from work.



### About the Hall of Fame

Junior Achievement of OKI Partners, Inc., in cooperation with Cincinnati Museum Center, established the Greater Cincinnati Business Hall of Fame to honor past and present business leaders for their outstanding business achievements and their contributions to the quality of life in the Greater Cincinnati community. This event is unique in that it pays tribute to business leaders through the partnership of two organizations, one oriented towards youth and producing tomorrow's leadership, and the other dedicated to preserving Cincinnati's past.

The laurates selected have not only risen to the pinnacle of success in the business world, but also have been pioneers in their industries. They have demonstrated a tradition of excellence and achievement, as opposed to unique, one-time efforts. Their genius has changed the face of business in Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky, and internationally, as they have touched the lives of millions of individuals in the United States and throughout the world.

Pelcome to the nineteenth annual Greater Cincinnati Business Hall of Fame. Tonight we have the privilege of honoring six truly exceptional business leaders. The Business Hall of Fame recognizes individuals who have made significant contributions in their industry and the Greater Cincinnati Community.

The five laureates are part of a Cincinnati legacy of which we all should be proud.

On behalf of Junior Achievement and the Cincinnati Museum Center, thank you for your interest in and support of this event.



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### Business Hall of Fame Inductees 1991-2011

### 2011 Deceased

Nicholas Lambrinides, Skyline Chili I.T. Verdin, The Verdin Company

### Living

Jack E. Brown, Nielsen

David B. O'Maley, Ohio National Financial Services

William K. Schubert, M.D., Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

### <u>2010</u>

### Deceased

William E. Anderson, The Central Trust Company/PNC Bank

Myers Y. Cooper, The Myers Y. Cooper Company, Hyde Park Lumber

### Living

Wayne Carlisle, Maxim Crane Works A.G. Lafley, Procter & Gamble Jeff Wyler, Jeff Wyler Automotive Family

### 2009 Deceased

Joseph B. Hall, Kroger

Learner B. Harrison, First National Bank of Cincinnati/U.S. Bank

### Livin

John F. Barrett, Western & Southern Financial

William J. Keating, Cincinnati Enquirer Kenneth F. Klosterman, Klosterman Baking Company

### <u>2008</u>

### eceased

Regina Grater, Graeter's Richard R. Deupree, Procter & Gamble Company

### Living

Neil Bortz, Towne Properties
William R. Burleigh, The E.W. Scripps
Company

Louis M. Groen, StopTech, Ltd. —McDonald's Marvin Rosenberg, Towne Properties

### <u>2007</u>

### Deceased

Ralph V. Haile, Jr., US Bank Charles and John Kilgour, Cincinnati Bell, Inc.

### Livina

Gary Heiman, Standard Textile

Victoria Buyniski Gluckman, United Medical Resources

Joseph P. Hayden, Jr., The Midland Company

### Docoacod

Harry R. Drackett & Harry R. (Roger) Drackett,
Jr., The Drackett Co.

David Frisch & Jack C. Maier, Frisch's Restaurants, Inc.

### Living

Otto M. Budig, Jr., Budco Group, Inc. Robert J. Kohlhepp, Cintas Corp. Buddy LaRosa, LaRosa's Pizzeria

### 2004

### Deceased

R. K. LeBlond, The R.K. LeBlond Machine Tool Company

Andrew Jergens, The Andrew Jergens Company

### Living

William (Bill) Butler, Corporex Richard Rosenthal, F& W Publications

### <u> 2002</u>

### Deceased

James A. D. Geier, Cincinnati Milacron, Inc. Hulbert Taft, Taft Broadcasting

### Living

Robert H. Castellini, Castellini Company Ross Love, Blue Chip Enterprises George A. Schaefer, Jr., Fifth Third

### <u>2001</u>

### Deceased

Julius Dexter, New Fidelity Safe Deposit & Trust Co.

John Washington Ellis, Firstar

### Living

Robert B. Ott, The Hennegan Company Joseph A. Pichler, The Kroger Company

### Deceased

John J. Emery, Jr., John Emery's Sons, Inc. & Emery Ind.

Samuel H. Hannaford, Samuel Hannaford & Sons

Edward W. Scripps, The E.W. Scripps Co.

### Living

Ralph A. Drees, The Drees Co. John E. Pepper, The Procter & Gamble Company

### <u>1999</u>

### **Deceased**Miles Greenwood, Eagle Iron Works/Cincinnati

Southern Railway Jacob G. Schmidlapp, Union Savings Trust

Ronald F. Walker, American Financial Group, Inc.

William J. Williams, The Western & Southern Life Insurance Co.

### Living

Albert W.Vontz, Jr., Heidelberg Distributing Co.

### <u>1998</u>

### Deceased Remard H. Kroger

Bernard H. Kroger, The Kroger Company Neil H. McElroy, The Procter & Gamble Company

Amos Shinkle, Covington & Cincinnati Bridge Co.

Walter E. Bartlett, Multimedia, Inc.

### Living

Roger L. Howe, U.S. Precision Lens, Inc. 1997

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### Deceased

J. Ralph Corbett, NuTone Inc. Martha Cornelius Dow, Dow Drug Stores

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Richard T. Farmer, Cintas Corporation Brian H. Rowe, General Electric Aircraft Engines

Milton J. Schloss, Hillshire Farm & Kahn's

### 1995 Deceased

Powell Crosley, Jr., The Crosley Radio Corporation/The Crosley Manufacturing

Horace Sudduth, The Creative Realty

### Living

### Clement L. Buenger, Fifth Third Bank Arthur C. Avril, Sakrete Inc.

<u>1994</u> Deceased

Julius Freiberg, Freiberg & Workum Thomas J. Emery & John J. Emery, The Emery Candle Company/Thomas Emery's Sons

### Livino

Jayne Baker Spain, Litton Industries, Inc. Charles S. Mechem, Jr., Taft Broadcasting

### <u>1993</u>

### Deceased

Charles L. Fleischmann, Fleischmann Yeast Company

David Sinton, Sinton & Means/The Sinton Realty Company

### Living

John J. Schiff, Sr., Cincinnati Financial Corporation

John G. Smale, The Procter & Gamble Company

### 1992

### Deceased

Melville E. Ingalls, The C & O Railroad Fred Lazarus, Jr., Federated Department Stores

### Living

Carl H. Lindner, Jr., American Financial

Howard J. Morgens, The Procter & Gamble Company

### 1991

### Deceased.

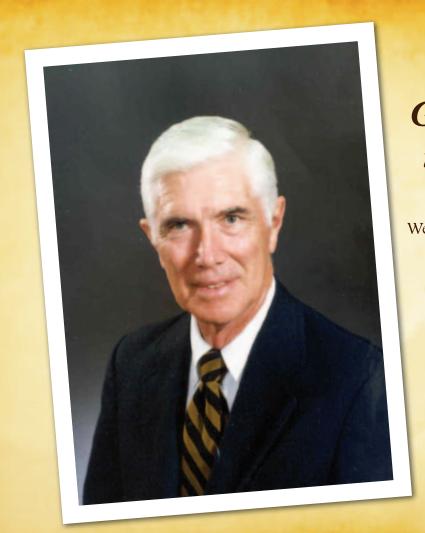
James Norris Gamble, The Procter & Gamble Company

William Cooper Procter, The Procter & Gamble Company

Frederick A. Geier, Cincinnati Milacron, Inc.

### Living

**Living**Lyle Everingham, The Kroger Company
Dwight H. Hibbard. Cincinnati Bell. Inc.



### A Lifetime of Good Taste, Great Service and Dedication to Business and Community

We applaud and congratulate the late William C. Portman, 2013 Greater Cincinnati Business Hall of Fame Laureate.

We were fortunate to have benefited from his vision and leadership.

His respect for history and tradition, and his commitment to entrepreneurship, innovation and quality, guide us today and into the future.



### Peter S. Strange, Messer Construction Company



eter S. Strange is a builder. Growing up working on construction sites in his grandfather's construction business, he fell in love with building and with the craftspeople who do the work. Since joining Messer as a co-op engineer he has worked for more than 40 years to create environments where people can thrive; and Pete has taken his passion for construction a step further through a life-long commitment to empowering and helping others build successful lives for themselves. His commitment to improving the people and places around him is evident in his actions and the example he sets in both his professional and personal life.

A native of Northern Kentucky, Pete began

working as a co-op at Messer Construction Co., a family-owned company, while pursuing a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Cincinnati. He joined the company full-time in 1972 after graduation. Over the years he progressed through the ranks of the organization and was promoted to vice president of operations in 1985. Beginning in 1988 he led negotiations with the Messer family, resulting in the purchase of all outstanding Messer stock by management and employees. Pete was named president and chief executive officer at the completion of the buyout in January 1990, which made Messer the 100 percent employee-owned, locallyheadquartered company it is today. Pete served in this role for 15 years and in 2005 was elected by Messer's board of directors as chairman and chief executive officer. Five years later Pete transitioned to the position of chairman of Messer, Inc., the parent company for Messer Construction Co., where he is focused on expanding the company's value and depth. Today the company has nine regional offices across a five-state footprint with more than 800 employees and will complete approximately \$750 million in revenue in 2012.

Under Pete's leadership, Messer's contributions to Cincinnati's built environment

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over the past four decades have helped to create a more vibrant community to live, to work and to raise our families. The awards and accomplishments achieved include the industry's highest honor, the Build America award bestowed by the Associated General Contractors of America, for Messer's leadership in building The Aronoff Center for the Arts and the restoration and remodeling of Cincinnati Museum Center at Union Terminal. Other notable projects include Riverbend Music Center, Horseshoe Casino Cincinnati, the anticipated revitalization of Music Hall, ongoing work for Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center and Xavier University, and countless others

Beyond his contributions as a builder, he has built a reputation for being one of the community's and construction industry's most active and steadfast advocates for the arts, education, workforce development, and innovation. His commitment to raising the bar includes current board service with The Greater Cincinnati Foundation; ArtsWave; Cincinnati Arts and Technology Center; Minority Business Accelerator of the Cincinnati USA Regional Chamber; Northern Kentucky Education Council; Vision 2015; University of Cincinnati Foundation; and Partners for a Competitive Workforce. Past service includes

time spent with the following organizations and non-profits: Cincinnati USA Regional Chamber; Strive; Dan Beard Council, Boy Scouts of America; Southwest Ohio Workforce Investment Board; Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra; College of Mount St. Joseph; Easter Seals Work Resource Center; University of Cincinnati Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering; Hamilton County Municipal Court; Leadership Cincinnati; People Working Cooperatively; Erlanger Christian Church; Purdue University Department of Construction Engineering and Management; and Cincinnati Youth Collaborative.

Additionally, Pete serves as chairman of the Federal Reserve Board of Cleveland, Cincinnati Branch and on the Board of Directors of Construction Software Technology. He has also lent his time and expertise to the Associated General Contractors of America and Ohio; The Society of American Military Engineers; American Institute of Constructors; Allied Construction Industries; and the Governor's Workforce Investment Board.

Pete resides in Northern Kentucky with his wife of 40 years, Ginger. They consider their children, Andy, Carrie and Matt, and grandchildren, Sam, Josh, Lily, Charley and Harrison their greatest accomplishments, and their greatest joy.



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### Rumpke, Rumpke Consolidated Companies, Inc.



ou'd be hard pressed to find a better example of a "rags to riches" story than the Rumpke Family, or a more literal "rags to riches" story, for that matter. The Rumpke family business and legacy is built, literally on trash and recycling. What started as a pig farm in the 1930's, has now evolved into a large scale waste management company paving the way for a better, more environmentally healthy future for our entire community.

Rumpke's history dates back to the 1930's when founder William F. Rumpke ran a junkyard and coal delivery business in Cincinnati. His customers often bartered sheep, chickens and old cars and trucks as payment for his services. One day, he was paid with six young pigs. William fixed up some old trucks from the junkyard and



enlisted relatives to search for garbage to feed the pigs. William J. Rumpke (Bill) was only five years old when he began helping his father collect trash from homes and businesses.

In 1947, William brought his youngest brother, Bernard on board as partner. Together, they worked to grow the trash collection business by finding new customers and markets. In 1955, a new law was passed that changed the course of the family business. The new law required food waste to be cooked before it was fed to livestock. Since locals were used to weekly Rumpke collection, Rumpke sold the animals and concentrated on collection and disposal of trash.

The Rumpke family business flourished in the 1950's. Many evenings were spent at municipal council meetings securing trash contracts for

communities in the Cincinnati area. William J. Rumpke (Bill, son of William F. Rumpke) and Thomas B. Rumpke (Tom, son of Bernard Rumpke) were best friends and forged a business partnership to grow their family business. They started their own route in Delhi Township, Ohio, while in their teens, quickly growing it to 2,500 customers. In 1965, they created Rumpke Container Services.

In 1978, Bill and Tom purchased Rumpke Inc. from their fathers and embarked on an acquisition spree, buying out more than 200 companies. These purchases included landfills that Rumpke continues to operate today in Butler, and Mt. Sterling, Ky., Medora, Ind., and Georgetown, Ohio. By 1984, Rumpke had also begun operations in Greenville, Ohio, and Columbus, Ind. Rumpke opened a Dayton, Ohio office in 1987. Today, Rumpke's service region and operations span Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and West Virginia.

When the cousins purchased the company from their fathers, Rumpke had annual revenues of about \$8 million. By 1984, Bill and Tom increased annual revenue beyond the \$100 million mark. Today Rumpke's annual revenue tops close to \$500 million. The company is the 10th largest waste and recycling firm in North America employing about 2,300 employees, approximately 75 of which are Rumpke family members.

The Rumpke name doesn't ensure a cushy job. Family members have to climb the same career ladder as anyone else might, beginning as a general laborer and with experience, job knowledge and excellent performance, they earn a shot at possible promotions. The Rumpke family built the business on hard work, resourcefulness and being innovative. The company expects these same traits in all employees no matter what their last names happen to be.

Bill married his sweetheart, Bonnie and had they had 6 children together. Tom and his wife, Mary raised a close family of 4. Their families continued to be woven together as business and family, and the family business became their lives and legacy.

Sadly, Tom passed away in 2004, yet his legacy on the company and family will always be profoundly felt.

The Rumpke's are proud Cincinnatians, west-siders with sleeves rolled up ready for work. Over the years, they found success by ensuring an even blend of work with fun. Capitalizing on compromise, Bill and Tom's bond remained unshakeable as they grew the business.

Bill and Tom Rumpke are honored not only for their innovation, resourcefulness and hard work, but also for their work which has resulted in a cleaner and more environmentally healthy community for all of us.



### William C. Portman, Portman Equipment Company



illiam (Bill) Portman often said he was "the luckiest guy in the world." His many friends and colleagues would say they were the lucky ones to know him. His life touched many people, both by the opportunity to know him and also the opportunities he created for numerous people.

Yet his way was a quiet and humble one, never attracting attention or praise for himself but instead he wanted his life "to do the talking for him". His life touched many and inspired many more. That life and legacy live on in his three children and 9 grandchildren in addition to the many others he employed or called a friend. His life is one most worthy of honor, a source of inspiration, and one led by a true gentleman.

Bill's family was of modest means. He grew up as an only child in the middle class neighborhood of Pleasant Ridge. While he was attending Walnut Hills High School, his life nearly ended when he contracted polio at 16 and was bedridden for nearly a year.

He had a paper route, pumped gas and worked as a caddy to earn money in his teens. Eventually, he saved enough of that money (\$25) to buy his first car, a 1917 Model T.

After high school, Bill was educated at Dartmouth College before volunteering to serve his country in WWII where he earned the rank of 1st Lieutenant.

After leaving the Army, he worked at Procter and Gamble and then held different regional sales positions for Clark Equipment. The love of his life, Joan Portman joined him in marriage on July 12, 1952. Their happy family grew to include two sons and a daughter, Wym, Rob and Ginna.

Bill was a loving husband and father.
Although work was very important to him, family was first. His children were his joy and he enjoyed teaching them and sharing his love of the outdoors with them. Many of Bill's happiest moments were spent outside canoeing, hunting and fishing with his family.

In 1960, at the age of 38, he created his own company, Portman Equipment Company.

Beginning with 5 employees, he borrowed money from his wife's uncle and lost money for the first few years. The number of employees had grown to over 400 in 2004 when the company was sold to a Dutch family company.

A good friend is someone who can be trusted to do the right thing. Since it was founded in 1960, Portman Equipment Company has tried to be a good friend to its customers and its employees.

The company was built upon the idea that a business organization should be like a family for those who work within it and a trusted friend to those who do business with it.

Bill's prevailing motto in life and work was "Total Reliability in People and Product."

Bill was forthright in his principles and he was always led by a moral compass that guided every decision of his life. Integrity was a standard he maintained in his life and expected in those around him. He was a man that was driven to keep his word and earn the trust that others had placed in him, anything less wasn't acceptable to him.

Bill loved people and enjoyed helping people develop their talents. He surrounded himself with outstanding people and believed in training, motivating and recognizing his people for their many accomplishments.

Sadly, Cancer claimed the life of his beloved

wife, Joan, 16 years before his own death. Her memory was very much alive with him and he held that memory in her honor until the time of his own passing.

Bill was honored with many awards including the "Great Living Cincinnatian Award" given by the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce" and the "Boy Scouts of America Eagle Scout Award."

In 1975 he was the first small businessman to chair the United Way Campaign. He served on many profit and non-profit boards and community service was always a large part of his life.

To quote from Reverend David Hawley about the example of the life that Bill Portman led, "In one way or another, in several ways for many of us, we have been blessed by Bill's presence in our lives. We have been "gifted" by him in memorable ways. We can keep these gifts, and that would be OK. Or even better, we can do with those gifts as Bill has done: give them away. Give them away to those whom we love, to our family and our friends. Give them away to others whom our lives happen to touch."

That 88 year life ended quietly on an August evening, but his gift and his legacy continue through his family, friends, and the countless people he touched through that life of quiet simplicity and integrity.

## The Portman Family—Congratulates the Greater Cincinnati Business Hall of Fame —2013 Laureates—

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William C. Portman, Portman Equipment Company\*

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Thank you for your unwavering service to our community and congratulations on your lifetime achievements.

\*Honored Posthumously



### September 28, 2012

### Daniel A. Hillenbrand, Hillenbrand Industries, Inc.



orn July 14, 1923 to Clara and John A. Hillenbrand, was born as the youngest of seven children into a family of hard working, forward thinkers in the small mid-western town of Batesville. IN.

Dan was a graduate of Campion High School in Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin and attended Purdue University. Dan enlisted in the Army Air Force July 7, 1943 and served in the Fourth Combat Cargo Unit in China Burma and India Burma during World War II.

Dan's assignment would be to fly supplies to the U.S. troops in a C46 over some of the most treacherous terrain on the planet, still considered the most dangerous route ever assigned to air transport. They called it "The Hump." Dan flew it for 2.5 years while living in the harshest of conditions in hot, leaky tents.

Dan was shot down twice and made it back. Along the way he earned three Bronze Stars, two Air Medals and Distinguished Flying Cross for showing real courage in the face of death. He was honorably discharged December 28, 1945.

Returning home from World War II, Dan joined his brothers John, William and George in the management of the privately owned Hill-Rom Company and Batesville Casket Company. He began his career in the purchasing department learning all facets of the family business. In 1964 Dan assumed leadership of the Batesville Casket Company and was elected President in 1969, during which time the company experienced many years of sustained growth. In his first year he increased sales by 62%.

The Hill-Rom Company and Batesville Casket were merged together to become Hillenbrand Industries and in 1971 became publicly owned. At the requests of his brothers he assumed leadership of the company being named Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer in 1972 for Hillenbrand Industries. During his 17 years as CEO, he developed the management team that took Hillenbrand Industries through uninterrupted growth and eventually becoming a Fortune 500 Company. During his tenure as the Chief Executive, sales increased 1063% from \$76 million to \$884 million. An investment of \$10,000 in Hillenbrand Industries when Dan Hillenbrand became CEO was worth \$133,000 at the time of his retirement, an increase of 1,230%. He was most proud of his management team and the years of

success they created. He retired from the company in 2003 attaining a remarkable record of achievement.

Most important to Dan, though, was the love of his life, Mary Homan Hillenbrand, whom he was married to for 62 loving years. She was his soul mate and they made a stunning couple. Dan's proudest achievement was that which he and Mim accomplished together, raising three lovely daughters, Diane, Lynne and Janet Claire. He loved watching them grow and especially enjoyed spending time with them, his grandchildren and great-grandchildren in the years after his retirement.

Daniel Hillenbrand passed away on May 17, 2010. He was 86.



### **The Keating Family**

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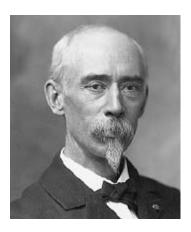
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### Gen. Andrew Hickenlooper, Cinti Gas & Electric Co.



ndrew Hickenlooper was born in Hudson, Ohio on August 10, 1837. Later the family moved to Cincinnati where Andrew attended Woodward and Xavier Colleges. At the age of nineteen he entered the office of the city surveyor of Cincinnati, and quickly mastered the duties of the position. In 1859 he became the city surveyor himself.

When war broke out in 1861, although only twenty-four, he recruited the 5th Ohio Independent Battery, which became known as "Hickenlooper's Battery." The battery then joined Major General John C. Fremont at Jefferson City, Missouri, before becoming part of the Army of the Tennessee in March, 1862. In April they took a distinguished part in the bloody Battle of Shiloh where Hickenlooper's heroic action at the infamous Hornets Nest brought him to the attention of General Ulysses S. Grant. At the end of October he was appointed Chief of Artillery and Ordnance on the staff of General James B. McPherson; then appointed again Chief Engineer of the XVII Corps in charge of the

Vicksburg siege operation. He distinguished himself in many capacities during that campaign and in 1864 served again with distinction during the Atlanta campaign and Sherman's March to the Sea and the advance through the Carolinas'. Generals Grant, Sherman, and Howard recommended him for promotion and on May 20, 1865 he received his appointment as brevet brigadier general.

For thirty years after the war the general was one of the most prominent citizens of Cincinnati. He served as United States Marshall for Southern Ohio (1866), but left the post in 1871 to become city engineer of Cincinnati. The next year he left to join the Cincinnati Gas Light and Coke Company as assistant to the President. He quickly learned the business and was elected president in 1877, a position he held until his retirement in 1903 due to ill health. He was elected Lieutenant Governor of Ohio from 1879-1881 but declined re-nomination preferring to return to the company. He also served a term as president of the Cincinnati

Chamber of Commerce. He published many articles and several books on the gas and light industry, including Competition in the Manufacture and Delivery of Gas (1882), and Incandescent Electric Lights for Street Illumination (1886).

Hickenlooper was in great demand as a speaker and chairman at public meetings and fraternal society affairs, and especially for meetings and reunions of Civil War veterans. He served as corresponding secretary of the Army of the Tennessee and worked tirelessly to honor and perpetuate the memory of his friend and mentor General James B. McPherson, killed during the Atlanta campaign. In 1903 he published a book on the Battle of Shiloh.

After a distinguished civil and military career Andrew Hickenlooper died in Cincinnati on May 12, 1904 and was buried there in Spring Grove Cemetery. On January 3, 1912 a statue in his honor was erected at Vicksburg National Military Park.



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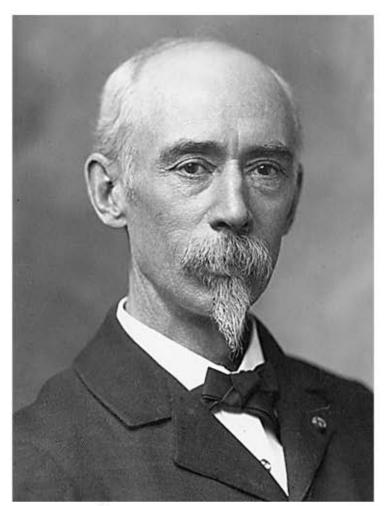


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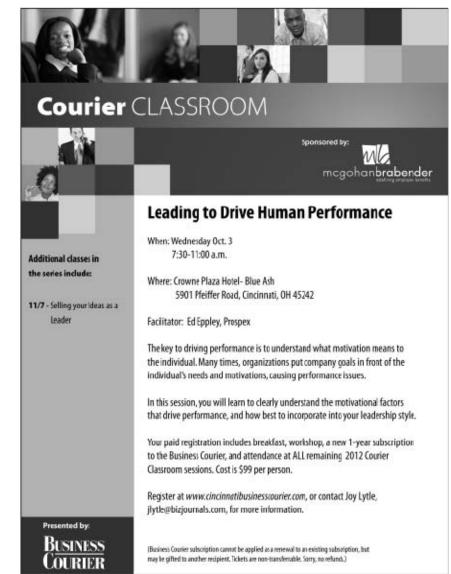
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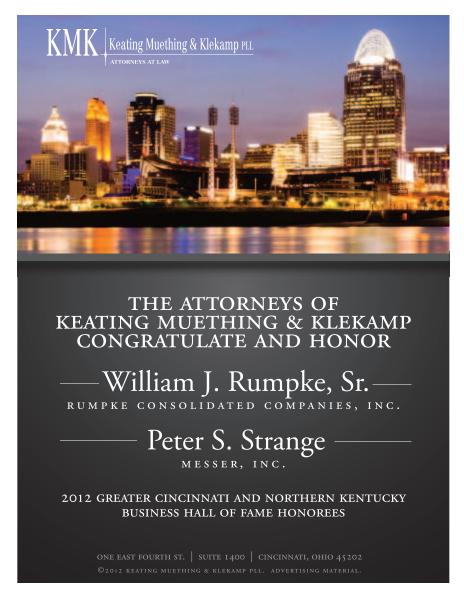
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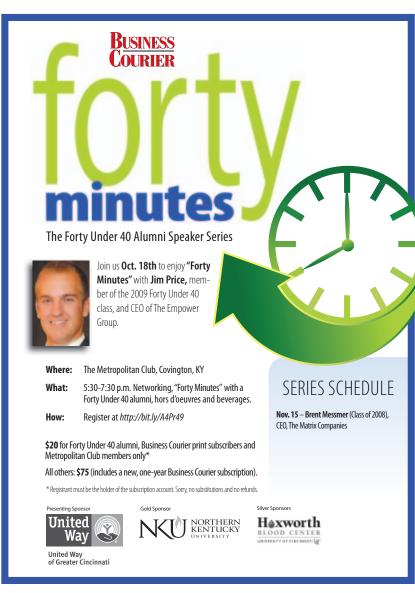
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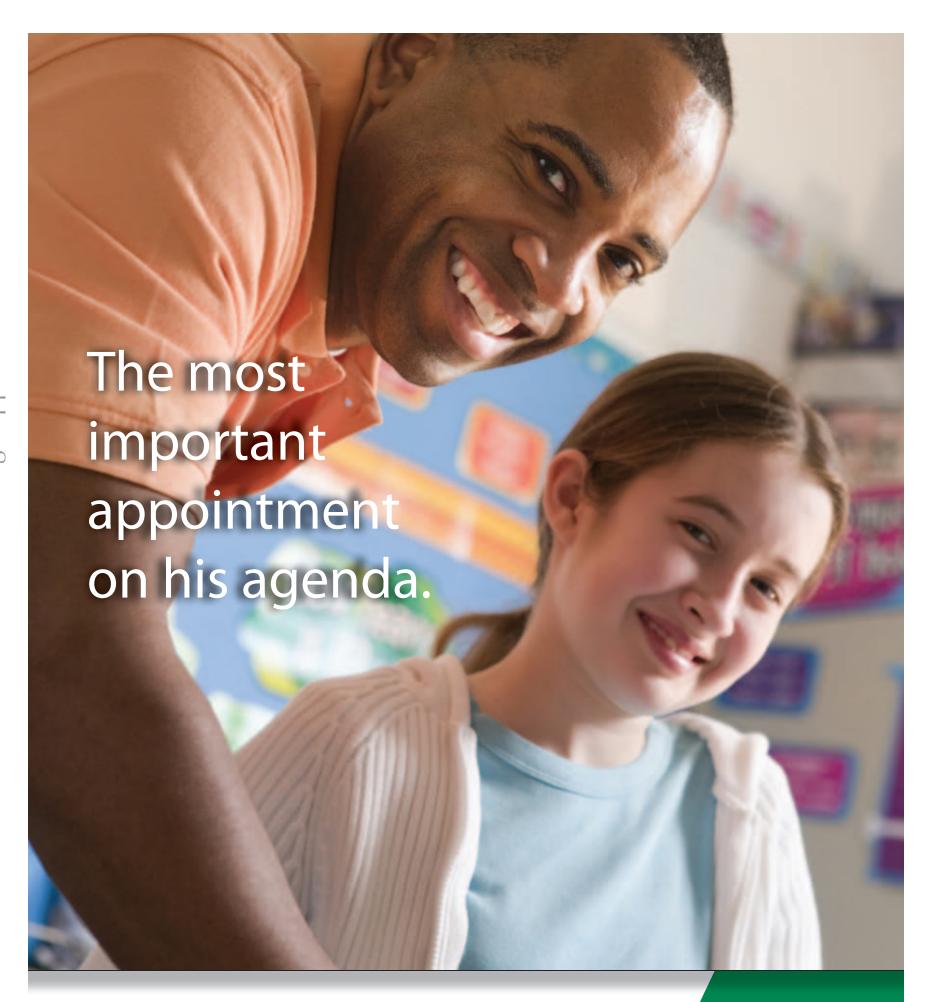
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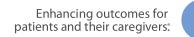


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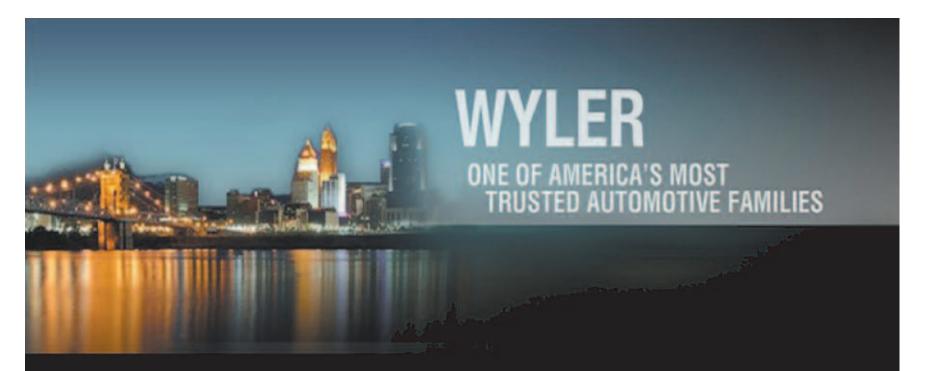
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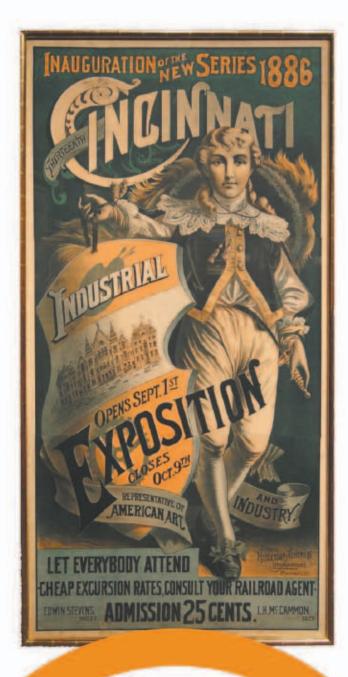
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