

## Charles Frederic Thomas, M. D.

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**T**HOMAS, CHARLES FREDERIC, M. D., Physician and Surgeon, was born April 27, 1822, in Woodstock, Vermont, and is the only living son of Charles and Hulda Thomas. His father was a native of New Hampshire, and a farmer by pursuit. Dr. Thomas received a thorough literary education; studied medicine under Drs. Alonzo Clark and Benjamin R. Palmer, both distinguished medical teachers and practitioners; attended lectures at the Vermont Medical College; removed to Ohio; attended lectures and graduated at Starling Medical College, Columbus, and entered upon the practice of his profession at Pomeroy, where he continued with success until 1857, when he located in Covington, Kentucky, and soon established a large and lucrative practice. He is a member of the Newport and Covington Medical Society, and has served as its President; is a member of the Cincinnati Academy of Medicine; of the Cincinnati Medical Society; of the American Medical Association, and was a delegate from Covington to the convention of that Association in 1877; was a member, for several years, of the Ohio State Medical Society, and of the Meigs County Medical Society, of which he was an officer; was for a time a Professor of Surgery in the Cincinnati College of Medicine and Surgery; at the opening of St. Luke's Hospital in Cincinnati, he was appointed one of the Consulting Surgeons; and on the establishing of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, in Covington, he became one of its corps of surgeons, acting in that capacity for several years. During the civil war, he was a warm supporter of the Union, and was appointed Physician and Surgeon to the Government Military Hospital, established in his city; has, also, been largely identified with various affairs of interest to his community, outside of his profession, having been a member of the Covington Board of Education, and actively participated in other matters looking to the welfare of the city. He is prominently connected with some of the social organizations of the day; has been greatly devoted to his profession; is peculiarly exemplary in his private character and life; is a man of commanding and attractive person; and is one of the most thoroughly well-read, successful, and popular physicians in Northern Kentucky. Dr. Thomas was married, December 22, 1844, to Miss H. Augusta Train, daughter of Col. Harry Train, of Washington, New Hampshire. They have two children. Their daughter, Sarah E., is the wife of E. C. Goshorn, a manufacturer of Cincinnati; and their son, Dr. Charles Thomas, a physician of Covington, is a graduate of Yale, and Bellevue Medical College, and is one of the most promising young men of his profession.

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