

FRANK PETRAITIS, the proprietor of a successful grocery and meat market business at Clymer, Indiana county, to which borough he came shortly after its incorporation, is a native of Russia, born in 1880 son of John and Agnes Petraitis, who were born in Russia and are now residents of Gary, Indiana.

Frank Petraitis received his educational training in the schools of his native country, and as a youth of twenty years came to the United states. Landing at New York, he made his way to Lilly, Pa., where for a short time he was employed in the mines. He continued to follow the same line of occupation at Coal Center, near the city of Pittsburg, but in 1907 recognized an opportunity found a successful business venture, and came to Clymer shortly after the town was incorporated into a borough. Here he erected a building and established himself in the grocery and meat market business, which he has succeeded in making a satisfactory business venture. He has been the architect of his own fortune, and well merits the patronage that has been given him by his fellow townsmen.

While residing near Pittsburg Mr. Petraitis was married, in that city, Sept. 14, 1903, to Anna Kvetkins, who was born in the same country as her husband, and during the same year; her parents are both now deceased. Three children have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Petraitis, Millie, Annie and Hebert. Mr. Petraitis takes an interest in fraternal matters, being a popular member of the Loyal Order of Moose.