

**Railroad Time Table.**

N., C. & St. L. R. R.  
LEAVES: ARRIVES:  
Train No. 50 at 9:30 p. m. Train No. 52, 7:45 a. m.  
Train No. 7, at 2:15 p. m. Train No. 4, 1:40 p. m.

**Local and Personal.**

Mrs. L. A. Stone is visiting in Greenfield, Tenn.  
Mrs. Alice McDaniel is visiting Mrs. Emma Stephens.  
Miss Valle Pilant visited Miss Linda Hunzicker, this week.  
Mr. P. C. Ward, of Reelfoot Lake, was in the city Monday.  
Mrs. L. Mitchell, of St. Louis, is visiting Mrs. Senter Roberts.  
Mrs. E. Case is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Poole, at Lynnville, Ky.  
Mr. Charlie Meier, of New Madrid, Mo., was in the city Wednesday.  
Miss Katie King is visiting her cousin, Miss Bessie Seates, in Union City.  
Mrs. Geo. Glasier has returned after several weeks' visit to Decatur, Ala.  
Miss Nina Glenn, who has been visiting in Union City, has returned home.  
Don't fail to attend the ball game to-morrow eve between the Blues and Grays.  
Miss McKandless, of Corbinville, Ky., is being entertained by Miss Bertha Richards.  
Mr. Ed. Thomas, an attorney of Fulton, was in Hickman, Tuesday, on legal business.  
Mr. Henry McMullen is to teach next session, in this county, near Besie, Te.  
Mr. L. Donaldson, a leading attorney of Lake county visited in Hickman, this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Hellner, of Knoxville, Tenn., are visiting the family of R. M. Isler.  
Mrs. Jno. Witting returned from Malden, Mo., yesterday, accompanied by her brother, Ira.  
Mrs. T. J. Malone of Union City, is visiting in town. Mr. Malone is at Dawson Springs for a few days.  
Miss May Faris is visiting the home of Mrs. Mary Beales, at Mayfield. She will remain several weeks.  
Mr. Shaw has been in St. Louis and other cities, this week, purchasing goods and returned Wednesday.  
Mr. Wm. D. Powell and family, of Moscow, spent Sunday in the city, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powell.  
Mrs. G. Johnson and children, of Mound City, who have been visiting Mrs. G. Hunzicker, will return home Sunday.  
All kinds of Fresh Fish, Oysters and Wild Fowls in season, for sale at the Hickman Packing Co. Telephone 80.  
Mrs. W. M. Shaw and daughter, Miss Lelia, left Monday, for Gibson Wells, where they will spend a few weeks.  
Eug. Jas. W. Mayes and wife, of this county, are spending a week or two at Dawson Springs, guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kuykendall.  
The next regular meeting of the Hickman Building & Loan Association will be held at the court house next Thursday night, 16th inst.  
Walter Maness of Gayco, who was injured in a railroad accident, near Jackson, last week, is reported by the Fulton Leader as recovering.  
Yes, certainly, we have Wall Paper in stock. We also have a beautiful line of samples for special orders.  
WILSON'S BOOK STORE.  
Wants, For Sale, For Rent, Lost, Found, To Loan, etc., inserted in the Courier, rate one cent a word each insertion. Personal mentions free.  
To-morrow the base ball game between the Veteran Blues and the Veteran Grays, in West Hickman. Friendship, good will, all for fun and everybody invited.  
Mr. H. D. Salmon, a well known farmer, of near Moscow, and wife, leave next Saturday for Albuquerque, New Mexico, both seeking a restoration of their health.  
Dr. Frank Usher, a son of Dr. F. M. Usher, of Fulton, has been ordered from Cuba to China. He served his country nobly in the Spanish war, and ranks high as a surgeon.  
The ladies of the C. P. Church will have a refreshment stand on the baseball grounds, West Hickman, tomorrow, to serve the veterans of the Blue and Gray, and all others who may kindly patronize them.

**Taxes! Taxes!**

Your City Taxes have been due since March 1st. Come forward and settle at once. By so doing you will save 6 per cent. interest.  
TOM DILLON, JR., C. T. C.  
The boys who have been attending religious meetings of the Sanctification people and disturbing the service are notified that the law will be invoked against them if such conduct is persisted in. Only Christian leniency has saved them from fine and punishment.  
There was a Re-union of the family of Mrs. M. E. Rose, August 1st at the Brown Sulpher Springs. There were sons and sons-in-law, daughters and daughters-in-law, grand children and great grand children and several others to enjoy the feast of good grub and fine water.  
A crowd of Hickmanites went up to the iron bridge on Little Ohio, Wednesday, on S. D. Luten's little gasoline launch, "Pearl," and had an enjoyable picnic and fish fry. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Luten and children, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hertweck, Misses Lizzie Luttrell, Marie Green, Willie May and Henrietta Wearn.

**REMOVED!**

H. BUCHANAN has moved his stock of Dry Goods from the ground floor to the room up stairs over his grocery house where he will continue to sell goods at cost, and less than cost. Entrance—Stairs leading by Dr. Davidson's office—turn to the left.

**Council Proceedings.**

HICKMAN, KY., Aug. 6, 1900.  
Council met in regular session. Present, Mayor Dillon, Councilmen Cowgill, Davis, Beckman, Brevard and Ellison.  
The minutes of the last regular meeting and the called meeting of July 23rd, were read, approved and signed.  
The following accounts were presented, properly approved, and on motion, checks ordered issued for the amounts: Cowgill & Cowgill, sundries, \$ 3.55  
Tom Dillon, jr., street pay roll for weeks ending July 7, 14, 21 and 28th, including work and supplies for water trough foundation, \$44.95; for removing hose cart, 50cts; pipe and connections for water trough, \$22.55. \$68.00  
The Supt. of Water and Light plant presented the following report for July: Bal. in treasury, July 1st, \$ 16.51  
Am't collected in July, 283.18  
\$299.69  
Am't paid out during July, 230.02  
Bal. in treasury, Aug. 1st 69.67  
TOM DILLON, JR., Supt.

Report of City Marshal for July, 1900: Taxes collected, \$65.95  
Fines collected, 15.00  
I hold Treasurer's receipt for same.  
TOM DILLON, JR., C. M.  
Report of City Treasurer for July, 1900: GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT.

To bal. per June report, \$113.89  
" am't rec'd of H. C. Helm, 57.00  
" am't rec'd of Tom Dillon, jr., 80.95  
\$251.84  
By checks paid in July, 246.50  
Bal. to credit this account, \$ 5.34  
CITY HALL ACCOUNT.

To bal. per June report, \$134.10  
" am't rec'd of H. C. Helm, 16.62  
Bal. to credit this account, \$150.72  
No change in other accounts.  
W. C. JOHNSON, C. T.

The foregoing reports were received, ordered spread upon the records and filed.  
The following ordinance, which was introduced at the last regular meeting, was again read, and on motion, was passed:

The City Council of the City of Hickman do ordain as follows, to wit:  
That it shall be unlawful for any person, within the city of Hickman, to use a sling shot, flipper, air gun or blank cartridge pistol, and any person so offending shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than One nor more than Ten Dollars.  
TOM DILLON, SR., Mayor.  
H. C. HELM, City Clerk.

The following ordinance, which was introduced at the called meeting on July 23rd, was again read and, on motion, was passed:

The City Council of the City of Hickman do ordain as follows, to wit:  
Sec. 1. That it shall be unlawful for persons having any contagious or infectious disease to appear upon the streets or on any of the public places of the city of Hickman, and any person so offending shall upon conviction be fined not less than Five nor more than One Hundred Dollars.  
Sec. 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person who has been exposed to any infectious or contagious disease and who is in such condition as likely to communicate the disease to others coming near to come upon the streets or other public places of the city of Hickman, Ky., and any person so offending shall upon conviction be fined not less than Five nor more than One Hundred Dollars.  
Sec. 3. That it shall be the duty of every physician practicing in the city to notify the Mayor at once upon discovering any contagious or infectious disease in the city, and any physician failing so to do shall be fined not less than Twenty-five nor more than One Hundred Dollars.  
Sec. 4. That it shall be the duty of the Mayor, upon notice of such contagious or infectious disease, to cause a yellow flag to be displayed in a conspicuous place upon the premises where such disease exists, and any person who shall unlawfully tear down or injure said flag, shall be fined not less than Twenty-five nor more than One Hundred Dollars. If the owner of the property, or the party in possession of same, shall fail to keep said flag displayed until removed by the proper party, he or she shall be fined not less than Twenty-five nor more than One Hundred Dollars.  
Sec. 5. The Mayor shall upon a certificate of the attending physician, or where there is none, upon a certificate of the city physician, that all danger of contagion or infection from the premises or the person having said disease is passed, shall cause said flag to be removed.  
Sec. 6. No person residing on the premises where said yellow flag is displayed shall appear upon the streets or other public places of the city without a physician's certificate that there is no danger of persons contracting said disease from him or her, and any person so offending shall be fined not less than Five nor more than One Hundred Dollars.  
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The following ordinance was introduced, read, ordered published, spread upon the records, and lay over until the next regular meeting:  
The City Council of the City of Hickman do ordain as follows:  
That on and after the passage of this ordinance, all persons or firms engaged in the business of selling by the wholesale spirituous, vinous or malt liquors in quantities of not less than five gallons at a time, within the limits of the city of Hickman, shall, in addition to the regular ad valorem tax on all property in the city, pay a privilege tax of Five Hundred Dollars to said city on said occupation or trade. Said tax to be paid to and collected by the City Marshal, as all other taxes are paid, and subject to the same penalties for non-payment as for other taxes due said city, and due and payable at same time.  
This ordinance to become a law and take effect on and after its passage.  
A motion was made and carried that the Marshal notify the Nash., Chat. & St. Louis Railroad Co. to repair the crossing on Fulton street in this city.  
On motion the Mayor was instructed to notify Mr. Stahr to commence work

with the road scraper on the streets of this city.  
A motion was made and carried that the steps on Cumberland and Union Streets be repaired at once.  
On motion, Council adjourned.  
H. C. HELM, City Clerk.

**Mayfield Enterprise.**  
A stock company was organized at Mayfield for the purpose of establishing a plug tobacco factory. R. H. Gardner, an extensive tobacco rehandler, is at the head of the project. Within a very short while \$60,000 capital stock was subscribed. The factory will be situated on West Broadway, in the roomy building recently vacated by the Mayfield Medicine Company.

**State Sunday School Convention.**  
The Kentucky Sunday School Association (union) holds its annual convention at Bowling Green, Aug. 28, 29, 30. Besides the best talent of the State from all denominations, there will be present Prof. H. M. Hamill, international worker, of Jacksonville, Ill.; Rev. G. O. Backman, general secretary, of Tennessee; and Rev. J. E. Turner, of Fountain Park, Ohio. Every Sunday School is entitled to one delegate for every 100 or fraction thereof enrolled, and its pastor, who is ex-officio a delegate. Besides these every county is entitled to ten delegates at large.

**Converting the Chinese.**  
Uncle Rastus moralizes thus on present conditions in the Celestial Empire: "Well, sub' he exclaimed, after earnest attention to the reading of the morning paper, 'Dem Chinamen is wusser dan de Spaniels fer fightin.' Dey sho! De United States orter step in dar take 'em two by two, tie dey pig tails together, throw 'em across the back fence, an' let 'em fight it out like cats—dat's what! De church whar I preach at sent two missionaries over dar, an' what you reckon dey done wid 'em? W'y dey sot one ter ketchin' rats fer 'em en ter bilin' rice. Yes sub, an one er dem was rough on rats sho! En ter show de workins of Providence, de sperit moved de one what wuz in de rice bilin' business to pizen de whole fambly; after which he made his escape and preach de gospel in peace. De only way to convert dem Chinese is ter kill 'em fast en preach dey funeral afterwards."

**Saved by a Newspaper.**  
[Mayfield Monitor.]  
Mr. John B. Cochran, of this city, had a narrow escape from death at Duke-don last week. Mr. Cochran is a commercial traveler and was in Dukedon selling groceries to the local dealers. He was sitting at a desk writing, and just behind him was a gentleman with a loaded pistol in his hands. The weapon was pointed directly at Mr. Cochran's back, just below his shoulder blade. It was accidentally fired, and had it not been for a folded newspaper, the ball would have struck at the point indicated, with fatal results. The ball struck the paper in a glancing direction and was deflected, going over Mr. Cochran's head without touching him. The escape was an extremely narrow one, and Mr. Cochran is so thankful for the good the paper did him that he says he will be a subscriber for it as long as he lives.

**Good Citizens, of Course!**  
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**The Constitution of Cuba.**

The elections in Cuba to choose delegates to a constitutional convention, whose duty will be to frame a constitution for the island, will occur on Saturday, Sept. 15th. The order for the convention emanates from the military authorities of the United States and recites the joint resolution of Congress of April 20, 1898, to the effect that the "people of Cuba are and of right ought to be free and independent," and adding that it was not the intention of the United States Government "to exercise sovereignty, jurisdiction or control over said island, except for the pacification thereof," after which the government and control were to be left to the people.

**Story of a Slave.**

To be bound hand and foot for years by the chains of disease is the worst form of slavery. Geo. D. Williams, of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife has been so helpless for five years that she could not turn over in bed alone. After using two bottles of Electric Bitters she is wonderfully improved and able to do her own work." This supreme remedy for female diseases quickly cures nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, headache, backache, fainting and dizzy spells. It is a godsend to weak, sickly, run-down people. Cure guaranteed. Only 50c. Sold by all druggists.

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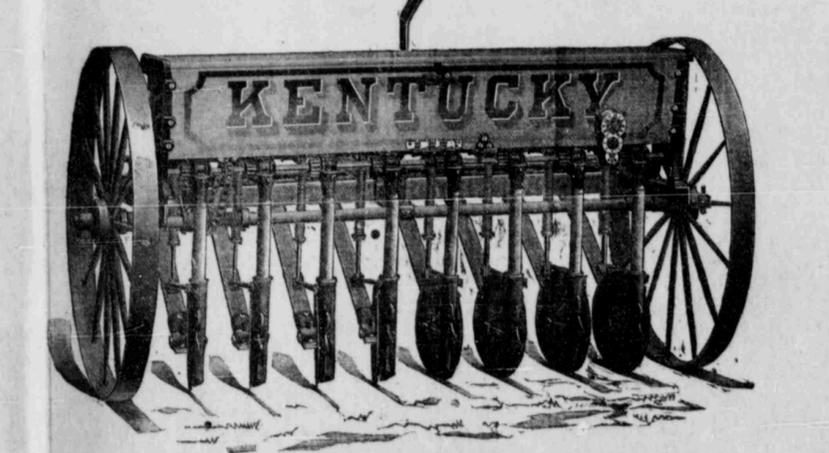
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