

CHURCH AND CHOIR

REVIVAL MEETING AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Services daily at 3 p. m. and 7:30 at night. If you love good music, come and hear Mrs. Rogan, vocalist. She is one of the sweetest gospel singers of today. Preaching by Rev. E. B. Johnson, of Chicago, who is one of the finest pulpit orators ever heard in Hickman. You are cordially invited to attend these services. Come, it will do you good.

M. E. CHURCH NOTICE.

9:45 a. m., Sunday School. There is a rest and recreation as well as a benefit in this work.

11 a. m., preaching, The Old and New Conception.
6:30 Epworth League.

No services at the evening hour as the meeting is going on at the Presbyterian church.

Sunday School in East Hickman at 2:30 Sunday and preaching next Friday evening at 7:30.

WEST HICKMAN BAPTIST CHURCH.

Preaching next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Please remember our meeting begins the first Sunday in April with Rev. H. H. Drake, of Union City, to assist. Come and be with us—Rev. Jas. B. Housley, Pastor.

CHOIR WILL SING CANTATA.

The choir of the First Methodist church will render Henry Wessel's beautiful sacred cantata "Calvary" on Sunday evening, April 4th, at 7:30. There will be no admission but an offering will be taken for the choir fund. Everybody welcomed.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS.

Revival services were started last Sunday at the First Presbyterian church in Hickman, the Rev. E. B. Johnson, of Chicago, being in charge of the meeting. Mrs. Rogan, a finished vocalist and noted gospel singer, furnishes one of the attractive features of the musical program.

Rev. Johnson is a very fine preacher and to miss his sermons is to rob one's self of a rare treat. Services twice daily, at 3 and 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. M. F. Warner arrived last week to join her husband, manager of the Hickman plant of the National Light & Power Co. They will occupy H. C. Helm's property on the hill, which is being re-modeled.



A SIGN OF NEED!

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ERECTING NEW STACK.

During a terrific gale one night not long ago, a twenty-five foot section of the big smoke stack at the power plant of the Public Service Co. came down with a crash. A new stack is now being erected to take the place of the damaged one. It will stand about 125 feet above the ground and is four feet in diameter. This stack is built up piece by piece, or rather a four foot section at a time. The sections are riveted on and the scaffold on which the workmen stand, follow it on up.

Clean up Friday.

Friday is clean up day in Hickman.

FOR SALE: 300 bushels of good corn.—J. H. Peck. 3p

Good music, comfortable seats, best pictures—at the Empress.

Miss Carmen Crawford who has been visiting relatives at Quincy, Fla., is expected home next week.

Three cash prizes for the cleanest yards in Hickman Saturday. \$2.50 for the cleanest in East Hickman—\$2.50 for the cleanest yard in Old Hickman—\$2.50 for the cleanest yard in West Hickman.

The Fulton News came out with a poster edition last Friday, in which the town, business and social interests were written up in a creditable and beneficial manner. Fulton is a good, wide-awake town, and we are glad to see our neighbors on the east line prospering.

County School Notes

By Miss Virginia Laten, County Supt.

In a recent article we mentioned the fact that our county is divided into four districts and hence has four different school boards. There is a board of trustees for each of the graded schools located at Fulton, Crutchfield and Hickman and a county board that has charge of all rural or county schools.

Each of these four school boards has control of the school fund raised by local taxation and said fund is used for building, repairs, equipment, incidentals, supplementing the salaries of teachers in the grades, and paying the salaries of high school teachers. In addition to the funds raised by local taxation, the State pays to each board the per capita which is \$4.60 this year. There is no State appropriation for high schools. (Some States furnish State aid for high school but Kentucky does not.)

Before the year 1908 the children in the rural schools had no high school advantages required by law, while all the larger graded schools were providing free high school tuition for the pupils in such districts. In 1908 the county was made the unite of organization for the rural schools and the law compelled the county board of education to provide at least one county high school with a four-year course at which pupils from rural schools could have free tuition. The law left it optional with the board whether it should build a separate high school at some point in the county and employ its own high school teachers or contract with the high schools already existing (provided they reached certain standards), and provide high school instruction for the rural pupils in this way.

The county board had to consider many things, mainly the cost of providing high school instruction, the convenience of the rural pupils, and the quality of work done in the high schools already existing.

We can get an idea of what high school instruction costs by studying the high schools in our own county. We will take last year's figures.

The Hickman School Board employed a superintendent and one teacher at a salary of \$166.66 per month plus tuition fees, and two additional teachers who gave part of their time to high school classes, making the total salaries for high school work at least \$200 per month. In estimating the cost of the high school we shall have to add to this amount the provision of school rooms for these classes, fuel, janitor services, library and other equipment. Tuition fees from pupils not living in the district were paid to the head of the school and would probably something like balance the additional salary that would have been paid him for supervision of the work in the grades. This high school enrolled 8 pupils from the rural schools, one from Tennessee and 43 from the Hickman district. While we cannot make an exact estimate of the cost of the incidental expense we do not think it could be figured that this high school cost the Hickman district less than \$2000 per year. As there were 43 pupils from this district in the high school department we can estimate the per capita cost per month.

The Crutchfield High School has a two-year course at present and as more than one teacher hears both graded and high school classes, it is more difficult to estimate the cost of the high school only, as that was also the first year of the school and most of the work was in the first year, or 9th grade. A two-year high school always costs less per pupil than a four-year high school, but we can generally assume that the per capita cost will of course depend upon the number of pupils enrolled.

The Fulton School Board employed a superintendent and three additional high school teachers at a total salary of \$357 per month. This high school enrolled 22 pupils from Tennessee, 21 from the rural schools, and 81 from the Fulton district. The tuition fees from the pupils outside of the district were paid to the school, hence in making our estimate of the cost of this high school to the Fulton district we shall have to deduct from the amount of the teachers salaries \$113 per month collected from tuition fees, and also that part of the superintendent's salary that would be considered due him for supervision of the grade work, and add the cost of use of four class rooms, equipment for work in physics and work in agriculture, library, fuel, janitor services, etc. While we can not give the exact cost of the high school separate from the grade work we can see from the above figures that this high school cost the Fulton district about \$2200 per year, probably more. The number of pupils in the district attending high school being 81, we can get an idea of the per capita cost.

The First Showing of Good Clothes for Spring

GOOD CLOTHES is used with full appreciation of what the term implies. When clothes pass muster here they must be good. Possibly our standard of goodness as regards clothes is even a bit more rigid than the average.

Every garment's tailoring is as near perfect as skill and care can make it—we've seen to that. Styles were never so smart. Models eclipse any it's ever been our pleasure to show before.

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Fulton is to have oiled streets in the residence section and the tarvia preparation is to be tried on two of the business streets. Both Fulton and Clinton (and the latter is not over half as large as Hickman) have hard streets. The next thing we know Cayce will be announcing oiled or gravel streets. Poor old Hickman.

THREE SHIPS SUNK.

The British battleship Irresistible and Ocean and the French battleship Bouvet, were blown up by floating mines while engaged with the remainder of the allied fleet in attacking the forts in the narrows of the Dardanelles Thursday. The British battleships' crew were virtually all saved, being transferred to other ships under hot fire, but an internal explosion occurred aboard the Bouvet, after she had fouled a mine, and most of the crew were lost. The Bouvet sank in three minutes after she hit the mine. The waters in which the ships were lost had been swept for mines but the British admiralty asserts the Turks and Germans set floating containers of explosive afloat and these were carried down by the currents to the ships.

In the case of C. L. Walker vs. Dixie Robinson, appealed from Fulton Circuit Court, the verdict of the lower court was affirmed by the Court of Appeals, Friday.

A GOOD INVESTMENT.

Wilson's administration is being bitterly denounced in certain quarters for acts the wisdom of which the future will demonstrate. Uncle Sam was thought to be badly "stung" when he paid \$7,200,000 for Alaska fifty years ago, and yet this apparently bleak and worthless territory has yielded \$23,000,000 from its fisheries and \$19,000,000 from its mines last year. This is just one example of long-sightedness as opposed to short-sightedness, and Wilson doesn't appear to need any glasses, victim of circumstances though he is.

W. C. Rainey and family, together with his father-in-law, D. N. Rives, left this week for Humboldt, Tenn., to make their future home. Mr. Rainey has purchased a general merchandise store near that city. Sorry to lose these good people as citizens of Hickman.

Let's clean up and paint up Hickman. Now is the time.

NOTICE

—A Few Combination Cash Offers at—

C. L. CLARK'S CASH GROCERY

for Saturday, March 27

20 Pounds Granulated Sugar	1.00
With 4 pounds 25c grade Peaberry Coffee	1.00
Total	\$2.00
One bushel eating Irish Potatoes	65c
With 4 pounds 25c grade Peaberry Coffee	1.00
Total	\$1.65
100 pound bag Crushed Oyster Shell	75c
With 4 pounds 25c grade Peaberry Coffee	1.00
Total	\$1.75
5 gallons Coaloil	45c
With 4 pounds 25c grade Peaberry Coffee	1.00
Total	\$1.45
5—15c size cans Tomatoes for	45c
With 4 pounds 25c grade Peaberry Coffee	1.00
Total	\$1.45
7 bars Big Deal Soap for	25c
5 packages Arm & Hammer Soda for	20c
With 4 pounds 25c grade Peaberry Coffee	1.00
Total	\$1.45

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