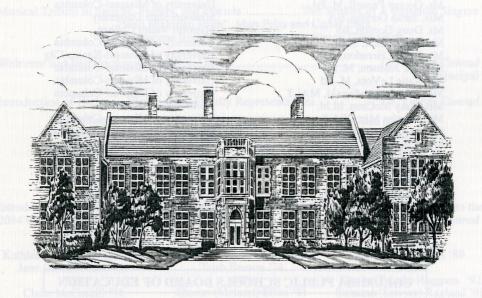
The One Hundred Eighteenth Commencement Exercises

David H. Hickman High School Columbia, Missouri



Friday Evening, May Twenty-Third
Two Thousand Fourteen
7:00 p.m.
Mizzou Arena

ACADEMIC REGALIA

The traditional caps and gowns worn by students and faculty in the academic procession have been the historic costume of scholars since medieval times. Because many scholars of that period were members of monastic orders, the academic costume resembles ecclesiastical dress.

A uniform code for academic costumes was drafted by an intercollegiate commission in 1893 and has since been adopted by the majority of colleges and universities in the United States. Each of the four academic degrees - bachelor, master, specialist, and doctorate - has its own distinctive gown and hood. The gown representing the bachelor's degree is distinguished by its long, pointed sleeve. The master's gown has a longer, narrow, closed, pointed sleeve extending below the knee; the arm is passed through a slit at the elbow. In contrast, the doctor's gown has a full, bell-shaped sleeve with three bars of velvet. The opening of this gown is faced with wide velvet bands which may be black or of a color indicating the general field of learning of the wearer, for example, dark blue for philosophy, light blue for education, orange for English.

The most colorful and distinctive item of the academic costume is the hood, which passes around the neck and extends down the back. The colors of the silk lining exposed in the center

of the hood are those of the college or university which conferred the degree.

Dr. Chris Belcher, Ph.D Dr. Tracey Conrad, Ed. D Mr. J. D. Coffman, Ed. S Mr. Pete Eichholz, BS Mr. George Frissell, M. Ed Mrs. Sarah Gerling, BA Mr. Doug Gordon, BS Mrs. Julia Grant, M. Ed Ms. Denise Herndon, Ed. S. Mr. Eric Johnson, M. Ed Ms. Katie LeVota, M. Ed Mrs. Pam Lewandowski, MALT Mrs. Amy McCann, M.M. Mr. Douglas Mirts, Ed. S Mr. Dan Miller, M. Ed Mrs. Lisa Nieder, M. Ed Ms. Jessica Platto, M. Ed Mr. Zach Rodeman, BS Mr. Matt Ross, M. Ed Mr. Jerome Sally, M. Ed Mrs. Catherine Scholten, M. Ed Mrs. Helen Wade, J.D. Mrs. Susan Whitesides, M. Ed

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Processional Marshals	201	4-2015 Student Body Officers
	Thomas Ziervogel, President	
	Shelby Penry, Vice President	
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Briana Bayley	, Cameron Blair, Rachel Brenner,	Dani Brown
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	les, Matthew Peterson, Michaela P	
	, Berkley Roloff, Megan Sweeney,	
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That Loneso	ome Road" James Taylor, arr. Si	mon Carrington
Welcome and Introduction of P	Platform Guests	Dr. Tracey Conrad Principal
Introduction of Hickman High	School Faculty Representatives	Dr. Tracey Conrad
J.D. Coffman	Julia Grant	Dan Miller
Pete Eichholz	Katie LeVota	Lisa Nieder
George Frissell	Pam Lewandowski	Jessica Platto
Sarah Gerling	Amy McCann	Zach Rodeman
Doug Gordon		Catherine Scholten
	School Alumni who will award the	
60's	70 's	80's
Kathleen Wells-Morgan '66		
Jane (Jacob) Jouret '69	Trish Beeson '74	90's
70's	80's	Shawn (Frisch) Huggans '92
Claire McCaskill '71	Sharon (Meinert) Elliot '81	Susanne (Sawyer) Ragland '93
Introduction of Valedictorians	and Presentation of Certificates a	
	Mrs. Susan Wi	Dr. Tracey Conrad hitesides, Director of Guidance
Introduction of Commencemen	t Speakers	Dr. Tracey Conrad
Commencement Addresses		Cameron Acton
		Jordan Jones
		Seniors of 2014
Presentation of Class of 2014	buchiey Charle. Nota Henris May Callind Agone Chou	Dr. Tracey Conrad

	Mr. James Whitt
	Vice President, Board of Education
Awarding of 118 th Year Medallions	Hickman High School Alumni
Announcing of Graduates	Mr. Doug Mirts
	Activities/Athletics Principal
	Mr. Phil Overeem
	Teacher
Awarding of Diplomas	Whitt, Vice President, Board of Education
Mrs.	Helen Wade, Member Board of Education
Assisted	
Dr. Tracey Conra	
Mrs. Susan Whitesides, D	rector of Guidance

ACADEMIC HONORS

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United States Presidential Scholar Semi-Finalists

Diana Harmata

Mingu Kim

Yvan Ouinn

..... Dr. Chris Belcher

Superintendent, Columbia Public Schools

National Merit Scholarship Award Finalists

Augustine Frymire Mingu Kim Diana Harmata

Acceptance of Class of 2014

Ashwath Kumar

Yvan Quinn

Rebecca Katz

Lois You Joanna Zou

National Merit Commended Scholars

Rachel Brenner

Dylan Hosmer-Quint

Matthew Peterson

Eli Byerly-Duke Anne Carter

Paval Khengar Jacob Muchow Lydia Rautman Andy Sun

National Achievement Program Outstanding Participant Brandi Dye

Missouri Scholars 100

Diana Harmata

Joanna Zou

Missouri Scholars Academy 2012

Anne Carter Mingu Kim

Matthew Kyle Yvan Quinn

Missouri Fine Arts Academy 2013

Courtney Clark Daisy Crane

Nora Hennessy Joelle Thompson

SCHOLARSHIPS PREVIOUSLY ACCEPTED

As of May 16, 2014 many seniors have stated they are receiving and accepting scholarships. These scholarships are a result of work in the fields of academics, service, athletics and other areas.

Missouri Higher Education Academic Scholarship "Bright Flight" Qualifiers as of May 16, 2014

Grant P. Allen
Callie N. Bassett
Garion M. Blaisdell
Rachel D. Brenner
Carter J. Buresh
Eli L. Byerly-Duke
Anne M. Carter
Zeb J. Charlton
Andrew J. Cox
Eunide A. Diallo
Brandi S. Dye
Augustine T. Frymire
David R. Gerdes
Jessica S. Gladden

Emily A. Glaubitz
Patrick J. Graf
Diana M. Harmata
Mora J. Hennessy
Dylan K. Hosmer-Quint
Rebecca J. Katz
Paul D. Keiser
Carly A. Kempf
Ashwath S. Kumar
Connor L. Lake
Lena R. Leuci
Michael A. Lowery
Kyle M. Martinez
Jacob A. Muchow

Kathrynne T. Nail Matthew A. Peterson Lydia H. Rautman Brendan J. Rost Elliott A. Schreiner Rayna C. Sims Andy Z. Sun Megan E. Sweeney Joelle R. Thompson Claire E. Van Doren Tristan G. Wade Eunice A. Wang Riley E. Wilson Joanna J. Zou

COMMUNITY AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS PRESENTED MAY 20, 2014

Bob Alderson Boone Electric Community Trust Scholarship	Stephanie Briedwell
American Civil Liberties Award	Eli Byerly-Duke
Athletic Booster Club Scholarship	
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Joe M. Barnes Cup	Mason Murray
Robert I. Barnes Scholarship Class of 1944	Tony Cheng
Eliot and Muriel Battle Memorial Scholarship	Charity Gant, Trenay Johnson
Cassandra Black Memorial Scholarship	Daisha Ganaway
Boone County Bar Association Scholarship	Ashwath Kumar
Chamber of Commerce Russell V. Thompson Scholarship	Kiona Hughes
Class of 1930 Scholarship	Lydia Rautman, Yvan Quinn
Class of 1936 Scholarship	Andy Sun
Class of 1953 Scholarship	Anne Carter
Class of 1959 Scholarship	Paige Oursler
Class of 1960 Scholarship	
Class of 1962 Scholarship	
Class of 1963/Charley Blackmore Scholarship	
Class of 1965 Scholarships	Kiona Hughes, Shane Hauska
Class of 1969 Scholarship	Eli Byerly-Duke
Mabel Wayland Coats Memorial Scholarship	Bailey Malone
Cleva Cole Writing Award	Diana Harmata
Heather Cole Sparkle of Hope Scholarship	Daisha Ganaway
Columbia African American Memorial Scholarship	Kiona Hughes
Columbia Art League Scholarship/Carolyn McLaughlin Birkes	Olivia Eastman
Columiba Art League Scholarship/Herb and Betty Brown	Daisy Crane
Columbia Association of Educational Office Professionals Scholars	hip Alexia LaHue
Columbia Downtown Rotary Club	Olivia Eastman
Columbia Missouri National Education Association Scholarship	Daniel Foley
Columbia Missouri State Teachers Association	Mar'kiez Smith
Columbia Police Scholarship Fund	erson, Grant Allen, Justice Keith
Cosmopolitan International Breakfast ClubMat	thew Peterson, Megan Sweeney
Jack Dawson Scholarship	Bailey Malone
Bev Denman Memorial Scholarship	Han Nguyen
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Downtown Optimist Club Scholarship	Daisha Ganaway Mar'kiez Smith
Charles J. Dysart ScholarshipAitriot	na Peterson-Ramey Juwan Mahaney
Lynda Evers Nursing Scholarship	Holly Bates
Focus on Learning Scholarship	
Bruce Gray Memorial Golf Award	Juwan Mahaney Mary O'Connor
Bruce Gray Memorial Track Award	Pobago Vetz Vione Hughes
Sally Mae Hansen Scholarship	Lauren Dieharden
Will Hawkins Memorial Scholarship	Lauren Richardson
Will Hawkins Memorial Scholarship	Mason Murray
James E. Hickem, III Memorial Art Scholarship	Daisy Crane
Hickman Alumni Award	
Hickman Girls' Basketball Award	
Hickman H.O.P.E. Club ScholarshipBailey Male	
Clay Hinshaw Memorial Scholarship	Robert Meredith
Marvin E. Holmes Entrepreneurial Scholarship	Adriana O'Dell
Kevin Honeycutt Memorial Scholarship	Daniel Foley
Melissa Howland/Hickman Review Literary Scholarship	
Bill Jackson Memorial Scholarship	Ross Menefee
Kewpie.net Scholarship.	Dan Foley, Lois You
Kojaba and A. Q. Beauty Supply Scholarship	Hannah Aufranc, Carter Cox,
Madison Culberts	son, Andrea Lang, Blake Wisniewski
Mel Koonse Memorial Scholarship/Old Wheels Car Club of Co	olumbia Alex Fredette
Lions Club Noel Summers Memorial Scholarship	Daisha Ganaway, Mar'kiez Smith
MAC Scholars; Beulah Ralph/Wanda Brown Award	Brandi Dye, Tatiana Mays
MAC Scholars/PIE Shelter Insurance Company Scholarship	Zara Shoune
Jim McLoed Trophy/Basketball	Douglas Johnson
Mid America Mortgage School and Community Service Award	ls Erin McCann, Tristan Wade
Minority Men's Educational Foundation Ron Marley Scholarsh	nipMar'kiez Smith
Missouri Credit Union Busby and Pauline Pat Miles Scholarshi	
	Krystalyn Weltha
Missouri Employers Mutual	Amanda Kelly, Michaela Porter
Missouri Heart Institute Foundation Scholarship	Carly Kempt
Wayne Mountjoy ScholarshipNational Association of Letter Carriers	Rıley Wılson
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Andy "Scoop" Olesen Scholarship	Hunter Morawitz
John G. Patterson Scholarship.	Diana Harmata
Dennis Riordan Award/Columbia Entertainment Company Aw	ardLaura Fry
Rock Bridge Lions Club/L. Kim Graham Memorial Scholarship	p Austin Wallace
Mary Rodriguez "Achievement Through Adversity" Scholarshi	
Ronnie Shaw Award/Baseball	Bailey Malone
Ronnie Shaw Award/Baseball	Colby Fitch
Shelter Insurance Foundation Scholarship/Nancy Allison Agen	t Bailey Malone
Carol Smith Swimming Award	
Glen Smith Award/Boys' Basketball	Chris Clark
Glen Smith/Bob Roark Award/Football	
Scott Stella Wrestling Award	Ell Kellenberger
Birch Stemmons Memorial Scholarship	orghin Magais Douts-11
Joyce Walker Hickman Drama Scholarship	arsinpwraggie Deutschie
Walton Family Foundation Scholarships	rgio Doutschlo, Dylan Hosmar Ovint
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John Madick Wright Student Government Scholarship	Came bassen, Carry Kempi
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SPECIAL FACULTY RECOGNITIONS

Neil C. Aslin Memorial Scholarship	Joanna Zou
Don Byers Service Award	Loyal Carpenter
James R. Chevalier Memorial Scholarship	Mingu Kim
Lucy King Service Award	
Khaki Lang Westerfield Award	

HALL OF FAME

Academics Diana Harmata Mingu Kim

Athletics Colby Fitch Chris Clark Allie Dishinger

Fine Arts Dylan Hosmer-Quint Joanna Zou

Service Callie Bassett Loyal Carpenter Carly Kempf

George Washington Carver Award

Grant Preston Allen Hannah Kate Aufranc Callie Nicole Bassett Rachel Diane Brenner Danielle Ann Brown Victoria Lynn Burnett Loyal William Carpenter Anne Meredith Carter Tony Mingxiong Cheng Madison Marie Culbertson Alexander Christopher Desmangles Margaret Rose Deutschle Olivia Marie Eastman Colby William Fitch Laura Elizabeth Fry Brooke Alexandra Gordon Patrick Joseph Graf

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Matthew Bruce Neff Paige Ann Oursler Matthew Austin Peterson Erin Louise Pohlman Yvan Patrick Quinn Lydia Helen Rautman Berkley Reid Yarbrough Roloff Amanda Marie Schlater Lisa Katherine Simms Rayn Chen-hu Sims Laura Leigh Smith Andy Zixin Sun Megan Elizabeth Sweeney Joelle Renee Thompson Claire Elizabeth Van Doren Benjamin Clay Zars Joanna Jiaqi Zou

President's Education Award Program for **Outstanding Academic Achievement**

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Amanda Mackenzie Kelly Courtney Nicole Kretzschmar Alexia Nicole LaHue Melissa Mei-li Lowary Grace Ann Lupo Katie Lynn Mills Brian Richard Montgomery Mark Andrew Murray Mason Tyler Murray Han Tran Ngoc Nguyen Mary Jane O'Connor Maleena Shae Patel

Michaela Ashton Porter Samuel Joshua Pottipadu Tiana Lynnette Reed Lauren Elizabeth Richardson Amber Rose Ringes Madison Marie Runnels Mallory Jo Schmidt Mar'kiez Anthony Smith Erika Regan Storvick Danai Tekle Kristen Jo Tumbleson Courtney Faith Twenter Riley Elizabeth Wilson Briana Lokelani Winn

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HICKMAN HIGH SCHOOL'S 85th GRADUATING CLASS 118 YEARS OF HIGH SCHOOL

High school in Columbia began in the 1880s, and by 1889, Columbia established a two-year high school at 713 Rogers Street, the current site of Jefferson Junior High School. The course of study was adjusted to three years in 1895, and to four years in 1896. Extracurricular activities naturally evolved. A literary society was formed in 1898, and a choral union, orchestra, and debate team were established in 1899. Sports teams were already present, although the district did not provide paid coaches.

Soon overcrowding at Columbia High School became a concern. In 1909, the community approved the demolition of the old school at Ninth and Rogers and the building of a new high school on that site. The new structure held the district's first gymnasium and a physical education credit was added to graduation requirements. A coach was employed to work with athletic teams and an art/music teacher was hired, providing the first elective courses. The first edition of the yearbook, the *Cresset*, was published in 1912. Commercial studies, teacher training, home economics, and mechanical drawing courses were added to the curriculum in 1913.

World War I brought changes to Columbia High School: the German Club was removed from the list of extracurricular activities in 1915 and a Current Events Club was established in 1918. In 1917, students over 14 years of age were excused from attending

school to be farm workers as part of the war effort.

Following World War I, Columbia continued to grow. In 1925, the community decided to build a new high school on the David H. Hickman estate. Construction soon began, and Hickman High School opened in 1927. At the time, some complained that the school was located too far out in the countryside! Students in the high school manual trades program built some of the furniture used to furnish the new school. In 1927, the first Hickman graduates began a grand tradition of excellence in academics, the arts, athletics, and service to the community.

The 1930s brought the Depression to Columbia, and the school district felt the economic pinch. For the first time, the district operated with a deficit; however, the high school building was expanded, thanks to low interest loans and the Works Progress Administration. While the district's special education program was eliminated, Hickman's first counselor was hired. On-the-job training and employment for credit were added to the curriculum, and Hickman's verse speaking choir performed throughout the state. Kewpie wrestlers garnered three state championships during this decade. In 1938, Hickman's marching band first performed, and the Student Council financed purchase of the band's first uniforms in the early 1940s. Hickman's first operetta, 1944's *Tune In*, began an annual tradition that continued for many years.

During World War II, curricular changes reflected the times; courses in international relations, aeronautics, and home nursing were added. Hickman participated in a fundraising drive for the war effort and collected salvage items. Driver's education was offered for the first time in 1948, and the tradition of requiring sophomores to wear beanies was restored. Many Hickman graduates served in the armed forces, some giving

their lives in service to their country.

The end of segregation in the school system occurred in the late 1950s. Hickman's faculty voted in 1952 to adopt competitive letter grading (E,S,M,I,F) in place of the previous Satisfactory/Unsatisfactory grading system. Continued expansion of facilities resulted in new construction. High school special education and adult classes were initiated in 1955. Vocational classrooms, laboratories, and the swimming pool were built in 1956, doubling Hickman's classroom space. During this decade, many graduates served in the Korean Conflict.

In 1960, Hickman established an honors program to add academic rigor. The green and white sophomore beanies were worn for the last time in 1961. David Wheeler was named Hickman's first Presidential Scholar in 1964, the inaugural year of the national recognition program where two outstanding high school graduates per state per year are

recognized for stellar academic achievement. The Kewpies finally beat the Jefferson City Jays in football in 1966, the same year William "Bill" Galeota became a Presidential Scholar, followed in 1967 by Robert "Corky" Cartwright. Four state athletic championships in three different sports proved Hickman an intimidating opponent during the 1960s. Again, Hickman graduates were in service to their country during the Vietnam conflict.

The 1970s brought district growth and expanded opportunities for Hickman girls, including the election of Hickman's first female Student Government President and another Presidential Scholar in 1972, Susan Wakerlin (Durkin). By the mid-1970s, Hickman offered competitive women's teams in tennis, basketball, golf, swimming, track, and volleyball. A growing music program produced a number of outstanding performers. Overcrowding, seemingly a constant issue in Columbia's schools, became a concern; in 1973 a second high school, Rock Bridge, opened and the Bruins, along with the Jefferson City Jays, became Hickman's greatest rivals.

National recognition came to Hickman in the 1980s, as Hickman was chosen to receive the Excellence in Education (Blue Ribbon) Award in 1984-85. President Ronald Reagan visited Hickman in 1987. Additional athletic and fine arts recognitions were earned by Hickman students, and four additional Presidential Scholars were selected, Melissa Parisi (Onzay) in 1983, Eleanor Kaufman in 1985 and in 1988, both of Missouri's scholars were Kewpies, Scott Murphy and Becca Dillingham (Learmouth).

In the 1990s, Hickman was again nationally recognized as a Blue Ribbon school in the 1994-96 competition, and four additional Presidential Scholars were named, David Kung in 1990, John Wright Riddick in 1994, Travis Pittman in 1996, and Anne Roller (Rucker) in 1997. Curriculum took new directions, including interdisciplinary classes, portfolio grading, and infusion of technology. Computer labs were developed and opportunities for true-to-life experiences were expanded, including the nationally recognized Columbia Aeronautics Space Association (CASA) program. The strong, diverse athletic tradition continued. Within this decade, Hickman won six state championships in baseball, women's swimming, men's track, men's cross country, and men's tennis. Fine arts and music programs produced many state award winners.

The tradition of excellence in academics, athletics, and the arts continues into the new millennium. Again, Presidential Scholars were announced, Kate Swearengen in 2000, Saritha Komatireddy in 2001, Ben Robinson in 2002, Doris Lin in 2003, Jessica Hwang in 2009, and in 2011 HHS produced an eighteenth Presidential Scholar, Eric Young. To date Hickman High School has twice the number of Presidential Scholars as any high school in the state. A new commons and classroom addition opened fall 2003, along with extensive renovations throughout the building in 2004, and again in 2008. Hickman celebrated the opening of a long-awaited second gym in December of 2012 with a win-

ning game against Rock Bridge.

Vocational classrooms, including a restaurant-sized kitchen, and a renovation of the football stadium were ready for the start of school in fall of 2013. These additional classrooms provided additional vocational classes not requiring busing to the Career Center. Construction on new tennis courts, installation of artificial turf on the baseball field, and building of a new wrestling room, baseball concession stand and batting cages all occurred over the 2013-14 school year. Over recent years, Hickman students have experienced numerous scholastic accolades, excelled in the arts, and won many state championships in the field of athletics.

Hickman's most recent graduating classes were comprised of outstanding groups of students with several National Merit Scholars, recognized for academic achievements in the areas of math, science, English, and social studies. During the subsequent years that followed their graduation dates, a remarkable parade of talented Hickman students translated their hopes and dreams into achievements that should inspire the current graduating class of Kewpies. The challenges that face today's graduates are varied. Opportunities to be of service to self, family, country, and community abound. Wherever they go and whatever achievements they may claim, each graduate will carry memories of their days at Hickman High School.



David Henry Hickman was a businessman, educator, and legislator from Columbia, Missouri, United States. He was a member of the Missouri State Assembly from 1838 to 1842 and helped compose legislation requiring the state to support public 'common schools' with at least twenty-five percent of the state's revenue. He was also instrumental in the founding and development of Stephens College and served as a curator of the University of Missouri. David H. Hickman High School was built on his country estate in 1927 and named after him.

On Dec. 15, 1925, residents approved 7-1 a bond issue of \$415,000 for construction of a school building on the site and some other school improvements. On Dec. 17, 1925, the school board approved a resolution by Sanford Conley suggesting the school be named "David H. Hickman High School." The cornerstone for Hickman High School was placed in a brief ceremony Sept. 16,

1926, and the building was opened for classes a year later.

When the new high school's name became known, two respected residents approved of its namesake and described Hickman in their letters of endorsement. From Edwin Stephens, president of Stephens Publishing Co.: "David H. Hickman was one of the greatest citizens and finest characters Boone County has ever had. He was a model citizen, a true Christian, a patriot, a leader in educational and civic affairs. The board of education appropriately honors his memory in naming in his honor the building, which is to stand upon the site of the home he owned and where he passed away with honors. And to the regret of the community which he so unselfishly and so ably served and when he had scarcely reached the prime of life."

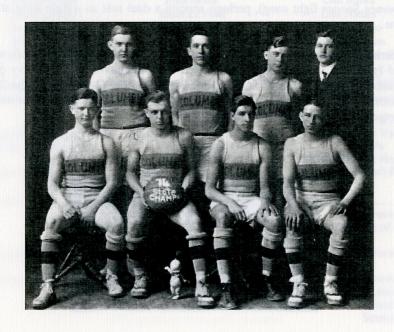
From Judge David Harris of Boone County Circuit Court: "He was a gentleman in manner, a Christian in spirit and a natural leader by the soundness of his judgment, the force of his character and the disinterestedness of his motives. ... Measured by the years, his life was a short one. Yet, I can think of no former citizen of Columbia whose life was richer, fuller or more worthy of emulation by the youth of Columbia, who in the years to come may receive

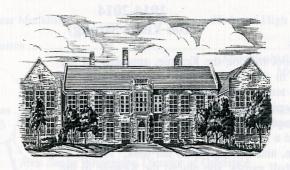
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The Mascot 1914-2014 (100 Years Strong)

The school mascot, the Kewpie, appeared for the first time in the 1914 Cresset associated with the basketball team "...whose loyalty to the school and to the Kewpie motto, 'Keep Smiling,' had won the State Championship." Apparently, the school secretary owned a Kewpie doll, as they were popular figurines then, and she kept it on her desk. At one of the basketball games, she placed the Kewpie in the center of the court (for good luck), and the entire game was played around it without its being broken. This was somewhat remarkable since the dolls were very fragile. Because it survived the game and brought a victory, it was thereafter considered the good luck mascot. You can see a picture of it underneath a chair in the 1914 Basketball team photograph in the Cresset.







In celebration of the Kewpie's 100th year as Hickman's mascot, a new *alma mater* has been composed by Matt Felts, Director of Choirs at Hickman, and Carter Datz, 2012 Hall of Fame Music Award recipient. The school fight song, "On Sons of Hickman," has long been regarded as the school's *alma mater*, yet the lyrics and music are meant more as a cheer, and is normally performed at an upbeat, fight-song tempo. The new *alma mater*, "Hail Hickman High," breathes new life into Harold Streeter's "Aye Forever" text from the 1922 *Cresset*, the first official Hickman *alma mater*. The text was originally sung to the tune of the Yale *boola boola* song (more commonly known today as the *Boomer Sooner* fight song), perhaps serving a duel role as a fight song at the time.

Streeter's text has now been reimagined as a storied *alma mater*, a flowing and lyrical hymn-like anthem, reminiscent of Hickman's brick and ivy past. "Hail Hickman High" will have its first public performance today at the 2014 Hickman Commencement Ceremony, proudly sung by the seniors of the *A Cappella Singers*, under the direction of Matt Felts.



"HAIL, HICKMAN HIGH"

A NEW ALMA MATER

MUSIC BY MATT FELTS AND CARTER DATZ. 2013 WORDS BY HAROLD STREETER. FROM THE 1922 CRESSET





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