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HICKMAN COUNTY CIVILIAN ORGANIZATIONS

AMERICAN LEGION, HICKMAN COUNTY POST #56 (National American Legion), American Legion Hall, Clinton. Founded 1921. Commander, Henry C. Griffin, East Clay Street, Clinton. Adjutant, Jewell Via, Clinton. Terms expire June, 1942.

Membership: 61. Qualifications, veteran of World War I.

Committees: No standing committees.

Purpose: To be prepared to assist in any emergency.

Normal Civic Activities: Sponsor for Boy Scouts and School Boy Patrol, Cooperating with all charitable organizations.

Defense Activities: Interested in Auxiliary Police, Air Raid Warden Service, Civilian Aircraft Warning Service, Auxiliary Fire Protection, Salvage Demolition Service, Emergency Repair Service, Motor Corps Service, Ambulance Service, Red Cross Assistance.

Local Publications: None.

AMERICAN RED CROSS, CLINTON CHAPTER (National American Red Cross), c/o V. W. Patrick, Star Milling Company, Clinton. Founded 1930. Chairman, V. W. Patrick, Star Milling Company, Clinton. Term indefinite.

Membership: 241. Qualifications, financial participation in membership drives.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Disaster, war relief and emergency aid.

Normal Civic Activities: Operation of sewing room for production of garments for war relief.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance. Interested in Motor Corps Service, First Aid.

Local Publications: None.

BAND PARENTS CLUB OF CLINTON, c/o V. T. Dotson, Clinton. Founded 1938. Acting President, V. T. Dotson, Clinton. Secretary, D. W. Ringo, Clinton. Terms expire October, 1942.

Membership: 40. Qualifications, parents of members of Clinton Central High School Band and other interested persons.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: To foster the band of Clinton Central High School.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperate with any public enterprise in furnishing services of the band.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Entertainment.

Local Publications: None.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, FOUR RIVERS COUNCIL TROOP #37 (National Council, Boy Scouts of America), American Legion Hall, Clinton. Founded 1931. Scoutmaster, Thomas A. Simpson, Junior, 106 Moore Street, Clinton. Scribe, Wandell Barclay, East Clay Street, Clinton. Terms expire April, 1942.

Membership: 11. Qualifications, boys not less than 12 years of age and able to pass scout tests.

Committees: Troop, Jewell Via, Clinton.

Purpose: Prepare boys for any and all emergencies.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperating with the American Legion.

Defense Activities: Training for Auxiliary Police, First Aid, Signal Services. Interested in Air Raid Warden Service, Auxiliary Fire Protection.

Local Publications: None.

CLINTON AND HICKMAN COUNTY COMMERCIAL CLUB, Clinton High School Building, Clinton. Founded 1940. President, Dr. H. Titsworth, Clinton, Telephone 3341. Secretary, Esco Gunter, Clinton High School, Clinton. Terms expire January, 1943.

Membership: 27. Qualifications, business or professional men interested in civic improvement.

Clinton and Hickman County Commercial Club (Continued)

Committees: No standing committees.

Purpose: Civic improvement of town and county.

Normal Civic Activities: Specifically, none.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Teaching Classes in Mechanical Skills Needed in Defense Industries. Interested in Motor Corps Service, Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, Consumer Protection Activities.

Local Publications: None.

CLINTON HOME MAKERS CLUB (State Federation of Home Makers Clubs), County Agent's Office, Clinton. Founded 1928. President, Mrs. Walter S. Scholes, East South Street, Clinton. Secretary, Mrs. Vester Campbell, East South Street, Clinton. Terms expire August, 1942.

Membership: 16. Qualifications, any woman interested in home problems.

Committees: Program, Mrs. Dick Greffey; Home Improvement, Mrs. Maggie Ramsey; Clothing Leader, Mrs. Charles Smith; Foods, Mrs. Percy Allen; Child Training, Mrs. W. A. Jewell; Garden, Mrs. W. R. McGruder, all of Clinton.

Purpose: Training in the art of home making.

Normal Civic Activities: Cooperating with school lunch and cancer control programs.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Red Cross Assistance. Interested in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Preparation and Serving of Food, Library Service.

Local Publications: None.

CLINTON PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION (State and National Congresses of Parents and Teachers), High School Building, Clinton. Founded 1940. President, Mrs. Henry Griffin, East Clay Street, Clinton. Secretary, Mrs. Henry Alexander, East South Street, Clinton. Terms expire May, 1942.

Clinton Parent-Teacher Association (Continued)

Membership: 44. Qualifications, parent or teacher of child attending the school.

Committees: Finance, Laverne Kimbro; Publicity, Mrs. Howard Paschall; Program, Mrs. Wiley Utterback, all of Clinton.

Purpose: Promote the welfare of children in home, school, church and community.

Normal Civic Activities: Aiding in obtaining National Youth Administration work shop and play ground for children.

Defense Activities: Interested in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Red Cross Assistance, Preparation and Serving of Food.

Local Publications: None.

CLINTON WOMAN'S CLUB (Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs), Hickman County Library, Clinton. Founded 1899. President, Mrs. Edmund Wrae, South Street, Clinton, Telephone 28. Secretary, Mrs. R. B. Jewell, South Street, Clinton. Terms expire May, 1942.

Membership: 40. Qualifications, intelligence, character and reciprocity.

Committees: American Citizenship, Mrs. Carl Jones; Gardens, Mrs. R. L. Bolin; Fine Arts, Mrs. R. L. Johnson; History and Education, Mrs. W. H. Claxton; Library Extension, Mrs. R. B. Jewell; Public Welfare, Mrs. H. S. Alexander, all of Clinton.

Purpose: Promotion of intellectual culture and community uplift.

Normal Civic Activities: Sponsor Hickman County Library. Cooperating with Red Cross, Cancer Control and Infantile Paralysis programs. Aiding school lunch room.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Red Cross Assistance, Library Service. Interested in Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings, Preparation and Serving of Food, Collecting Books, Public Speaking, Typing and Other Clerical Assistance.

Local Publications: Year Book.

FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS, HICKMAN LODGE #131 (Grand Lodge of Kentucky, Free and Accepted Masons), c/o Judge R. L. Bolin, Clinton. Founded 1845. Master, Judge R. L. Bolin, Clinton, Telephone 2531. Secretary, C. W. Bridges, Clinton, Telephone 3181. Terms expire December, 1942.

Membership: 88. Qualifications, white male adults who believe in God.

Committees: Executive, Judge R. L. Bolin; House, D. L. Shaw, both of Clinton.

Purpose: Charitable and Fraternal.

Normal Civic Activities: None reported.

Defense Activities: Interested in Air Raid Warden Service, Auxiliary Fire Protection, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA (National Future Farmers of America), Clinton High School, Clinton. Founded 1937. President, Fred Coser, Clinton. Secretary, Melvin Williams, R. R. #2, Clinton. Executive Secretary, Frank Rohrer, Clinton. Terms expire May, 1942.

Membership: 30. Qualifications, one full year of study in vocational agriculture.

Committees: Earnings and Savings, Robert Farabough; Recreation, Lawrence Yates; Information, Melvin Williams, all of Clinton.

Normal Civic Activities: None reported.

Defense Activities: Interested in Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.

HICKMAN COUNTY FARM BUREAU (National Farm Bureau), County Agent's Office, Clinton. Founded 1934. President, Dick Montgomery, R. R. #1, Clinton. Term expires March, 1943. Secretary, Geneva Wetherford, County Agent's Office, Clinton, Telephone 2721. Term expires April, 1943.

Membership: 102. Qualifications, farm operation.

Directors: W. R. Hilliard, Clinton; E. H. Hindman, Clinton; O. Mullins, Wingo; W. L. Williams, Clinton; E. C. Whayne, Jr., Fulton; C. C. Hancock, Fulton; John M. Veatch, Clinton; Mrs. Dora's McDaniel, Clinton.

Hickman County Farm Bureau (Continued)

Purpose: Promotion of agricultural extension work.

Normal Civic Activities: None reported.

Defense Activities: Interested in Salvage Demolition Service, Emergency Repair Service, Motor Corps Service, Red Cross Assistance, Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals.

Local Publications: None.

HICKMAN COUNTY 4-H CLUB (National 4-H Clubs), c/o County Agent's Office, Clinton. Founded 1927. President, James W. Wooten, R. R. #3, Clinton. Secretary, Elwanda Jewell, R. R. #3, Clinton. Terms expire July, 1942.

Membership: 150. Qualifications, must work on an agricultural or home economics project and attend club meetings.

Committees: None reported.

Purpose: Development of Head, Heart, Hands and Health.

Normal Civic Activities: None reported.

Defense Activities: Interested in Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals, Collecting Books.

Local Publications: None.

HICKMAN COUNTY NUTRITION COUNCIL (State Nutrition Council), c/o County Agent's Office, Clinton. Founded 1941. President, Jessie Wilson, County Agent's Office, Clinton, Telephone 2721. Secretary, Miss Annabelle White, County Health Department, Clinton. Terms indefinite.

Membership: 20. Qualifications, knowledge of nutrition or related subjects.

Committees: Publicity, Mrs. Robert Cherry, Clinton.

Purpose: Promote education in nutrition.

Normal Civic Activities: None reported.

Hickman County Nutrition Council (Continued)

Defense Activities: Training for Preparation and Serving of Food,
Operation of Canteens. Interested in Red Cross Assistance, Child
Care.

Local Publications: None.

WOMAN'S SOCIETY OF CHRISTIAN SERVICE, CLINTON METHODIST CHURCH, Methodist
Church, Clinton. Founded 1940. President, Mrs. R. Jewell, 311 West Clay
Street, Clinton, Telephone 122. Secretary, Mrs. Maggie Ramsey, Clinton.
Terms expire December, 1942.

Membership: 36. Qualifications, church women interested in the work.

Committees: Program, Mrs. Lloyd Lovell; Spiritual, Mrs. Sallie Wood;
Finance, Mrs. Walter Scholes; Publicity, Mrs. Ara Lane; Membership,
Mrs. Wiley Utterback, all of Clinton.

Purpose: To unite all women of the church in Christian living and
service.

Normal Civic Activities: Charity work and Negro education.

Defense Activities: Engaged in Red Cross Assistance. Interested in
Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings.

Local Publications: None.

TYPES OF DEFENSE ACTIVITIES LISTED

Air Raid Warden Service
Ambulance Service
Auxiliary Fire Protection
Auxiliary Police
Child Care
Civilian Aircraft Warning Service
Collecting Books
Collection of Scrap Metals and Other Metals
Consumer Protection Activities
Discussion Leaders
Drafting
Emergency Repair Service
Entertainment
Family Social Service in Industrial Areas
First Aid
Hospital and Clinical Assistance
Interpreting
Interviewing
Library Service
Motor Corps Service
Operation of Canteens
Preparation and Serving of Food
Public Speaking
Radio Operation and Repair
Recreation
Red Cross Assistance
Research Assistance
Salvage Demolition Service
Sewing and Preparation of Surgical Dressings
Signal Service
Teaching Americanization Classes for Aliens and Others
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Explanation of Symbols: A- "Engaged In", B- "Training For", C-
"Interested In".

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American Legion, Hickman County Post #56, C-1; Boy Scouts of
America, Four Rivers Council Troop #37, C-2; Free and Accepted
Masons, Hickman Lodge #131, C-5.

AMBULANCE SERVICE

American Legion, Hickman County Post #56, C-1.

AUXILIARY FIRE PROTECTION

American Legion, Hickman County Post #56, C-1; Boy Scouts of
America, Four Rivers Council Troop #37, C-2; Free and Accepted
Masons, Hickman Lodge #131, C-5.

AUXILIARY POLICE

American Legion, Hickman County Post #56, C-1; Boy Scouts of
America, Four Rivers Council Troop #37, B-2; Free and Accepted
Masons, Hickman Lodge #131, C-5.

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LIBRARY SERVICE

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MOTOR CORPS SERVICE

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