

Dr. Edward N. Tihen (1924-1991) was an avid reader and researcher of Wichita newspapers. His notes from Wichita newspapers -- the "Tihen Notes," as we call them -- provide an excellent starting point for further research. They present brief synopses of newspaper articles, identify the newspaper -- Eagle, Beacon or Eagle-Beacon -- in which the stories first appeared, and give exact references to the pages on which the articles are found. Microfilmed copies of these newspapers are available at the Wichita State University Libraries, the Wichita Public Library, or by interlibrary loan from the Kansas State Historical Society.

Subject(s): JOHN M. HICKMAN, ARCHITECTS ASSOCIATED**Wichita Eagle****Sunday, April 18, 1954****page**

1. Henry's, Inc., yesterday announced plans to build a new store on southeast corner of Douglas and Oliver. Details. Architects: John M. Hickman and Arthur T. Woodman. Drawing.

Wichita Eagle**Sunday, July 22, 1956****page**

- 8A. Henry's announced that its suburban store at Douglas and Oliver will be expanded to the adjacent area now occupied by Oklahoma Tire and Supply Company, on which Henry's has taken a long term lease. Remodeling will begin about August 1 and the project is expected to be completed by November 1. Architects for the exterior changes are John Hickman and Arthur Woodman, of Architects Associated. Details.

Wichita Eagle**Sunday, September 2, 1956****page**

- 1D. Construction of an addition to Henry's suburban store at Douglas and Oliver is underway and is expected to be completed by October 25. Architects are John Hickman and Arthur Woodman of Architects Associated. Drawing.

Wichita Eagle**Tuesday, December 8, 1959****page**

- 5A. Board of Regents of University of Wichita yesterday gave tentative approval to the plans for a new \$1.5 million library building to be located on the campus northeast of Neff Hall. The preliminary plans were presented by architect John M. Hickman, of Architects Associated, 2314 East Central. Details.

Wichita Eagle**Friday, April 21, 1961****page**

- 5A. Contracts totaling \$1,101,796 for construction of the new university library were let yesterday by the University of Wichita Board of Regents. Architect is John M. Hickman and Associates. Details.

Wichita Eagle**Tuesday, June 6, 1961****page**

- 7A. Biographical article about John Hickman, Wichita architect. Born in Amarillo, Texas May 28, 1925. Attended East High School in Wichita. Was fighter pilot in World War II. Studied architecture at University of Illinois after the war. Returned to Wichita in 1952. Wife, Mary Jane, is from San Antonio, Texas. Four daughters 14 to 6 (named). Further biography. Photo.

Wichita Eagle**Friday, January 12, 1962****page**

1. Photo of new Wichita University library under construction. To cost \$1.6 million and to be completed in time for fall classes. Construction started in May last year. Architects are John M. Hickman and Associates. Details.

Wichita Eagle**Friday, September 28, 1962****page**

- 5A. Board of Education yesterday tentatively accepted the new million dollar Woodman Elementary School and \$300,000 Cleaveland Elementary School. The Woodman school has a capacity of 1,440 and is the state's largest elementary school. Architect was John Hickman. The Cleaveland school is designed for 375 students. Architects were Schaefer, Schirmer, and Eflin.

Wichita Evening Eagle and Beacon**Thursday, November 1, 1962****page**

- 5A. Dedication of the University of Wichita's new \$1,500,000 library will be tomorrow morning. The building will be called the Ablah Library. Architects were John Hickman and Associates. Details. Follow up report November 2 on page 5A.

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Friday, April 24, 1964

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- 8B. Report of death yesterday of John M. Hickman, 38, of 1560 Fairfield, project architect for Wichita's Civic Cultural Center, apparently a suicide from carbon monoxide poisoning. Born May 28, 1925 in Amarillo, Texas and came to Wichita in 1938. Survived by wife, four daughters, and parents (named).

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- 5A. Architect Roy K. Varenhorst, partner of the late John M. Hickman, reported to City Commission yesterday that planning of the Civic Cultural Center is on schedule and can be completed as envisioned despite Mr. Hickman's death. Details