

ELDER TO AID BUS OPENING

Named Chairman of Booster Committee for Day.

J. Edward Morris, general chairman of the committee in charge of the celebration attending dedication of the Indianapolis Bus Terminal in Times square next Tuesday, announced today appointment of Bowman Elder as chairman of the booster committee to ride the day's festivities.

In a letter being sent out from the celebration headquarters, each club in Indianapolis is being asked to appoint a committee of nineteen members who will be members of the booster committee and receive special courtesies at the dedication ceremonies.

Harry M. Franklin has been appointed marshal of the monster bus parade, which is said to be the largest line-up of passenger busses ever staged in America. The parade will be two miles long.

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Sketch of New Irvington M. E. Church.

New \$200,000 structure which will be erected by the Irvington Methodist Episcopal Church, at Audubon Pl., Irvington, will be one of the most elaborate church structures in Indianapolis.

It is expected the new building will be completed within a year. It will be Tudor Gothic style of architecture and built into the former home of Thomas C. Howe, which will be used for community activities.

Auditorium will seat 900 persons. Broad stone steps will lead up to the entrance on the north. Special attention will be given to beautification of the grounds of one and one-half acres.

Valuations by Friday

Corporations in County Must File

Lists This Week.

Friday is the last day for all corporations located in Indianapolis and Marion county to file their valuation lists, was announced today by members of the county board of revenue.

Corporations failing to file lists by Friday will be fined \$100 a day for every day over due until filed, Berry said.

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Maennerchor In Fine Form

Closely identified with worth-while musical activity in this city is the Indianapolis Maennerchor.

This large group of men singers, by careful work under the direction of Karl Reckzeh, has developed into a commanding choral organization.

This singing group has the services of experienced male voices. In addition to the beautiful tone produced as a part of the melody fabric, there is a general enthusiasm present which gives the entire idea new life.

That is the astonishing thing to me—that these men seem to have fresh interest in song at every recital. There is joy in choral singing and these men have it in large quantities.

Last night after leaving the annual spring concert of the Maennerchor at the Academy of Music, I had the feeling that I had experienced a real evening in song.

All of the Maennerchor numbers were in German. Reckzeh has developed a well-rounded singing corps of men. The men have the voices but the director has blended them into as near perfect an ensemble as one dares to expect.

Of the Maennerchor numbers I enjoyed most "Dem Rhein Mein Lied" and "De Fröhling," one of those haunting, moving melodies, having at times a pipe organ effect.

The guest soloist was Mme. Helen Stanley, a soprano. Understand that this is her first visit here. Here first two groups were in German and the last in English. She belongs to what I consider the dramatic type of a singer. She expresses with ease the drama of song as well as the lighter moods. In the higher register her voice is clear and true. In Schumann's "Stille Thraenen," she gave proof of the rich, marvelous and flexible quality of her voice.

There is joy in her work brought about by much experience in song. She knows the technical side of the business. She has a rich and beautiful voice, but above all she knows

This Marble Champ One of Youngest



Joe Christie

This is Joe Christie, 10, of 221 N. Tacoma Ave., winner of district marble game at school No. 3, Friday. He is one of the youngest district champs.

how to put the drama of song over the footlights.

The Brahms group was done with quiet charm and understanding. The same qualities which were noticed in the German groups were present in the English numbers.

Edward Harris was at the piano. (By Walter D. Hickman.)

FRENCH WAR HERO DIES

Famous One-Armed Veteran Stricken by Appendicitis.

By United Press

PARIS, May 12.—France's famous one-armed World War hero, General Mangin, died at 11:30 a. m. today of appendicitis.

DIPLOMAS FOR 54 THURSDAY

Exercises at Lawrence High School.

Fifty-four students from Lawrence and Oakland high schools and townships district schools Nos. 6 and 9 will receive graduation diplomas at commencement exercises Thursday night at Lawrence High School auditorium. Diplomas will be presented by Lee E. Swails, county superintendent.

Graduates from each school are: Oakland High School, Wilma Belle Eise, Ethel N. Apple, Martin E. Springer, Norma H. Peters, Dorothy A. Uhlman, Virginia G. Jordan, Pauline M. Blanton, Gladys Irene Kuchin, Juanita Hanna Mc-

Connell, Thelma G. Gray, Delmas G. Silver, Samuel H. Martin, Rosie Marie Whiteside, Martha Volmer.
Lawrence High School: June Ferguson, Cora E. Van Sickle, Stephen T. Butler, Clyde S. Lyle, Hazel M. Drake, Craig M. Day, Delbert E. Henley and Truman D. Lamar. District School No. 6: Harriet Lucile Watson, Catherine Uhlmann, Ruth Harrison, Irene Seelye, Goldie Mabel Watson, Lewis Apple, Cecil Apple, S. Oliver Bruce, Martha Nann, Eals, Georgia S. Jackson, Martha E. Offenbacher, Lawrence E. McConnell.
District School No. 9: Billy Frank, Lorena Blanche Biegy, Modesta Alberta Thompson, Clifton Wallace Wright, Doris Ann Raab, Mary Agnes Ellis, Violet Lamar, Charles Martin, Rudolph Harold Eugene Roberts, Mary Emma Bauer, Jack Seymour, Warner Benjamin E. Snyder, Robert E. Swank, Araminta Rosenbrock, Elsie Ashworth, Gertrude Smith, Robert Leo Palmer and Walter Harris Harbour.

TO OPEN BABY GRAVES

By United Press

NEW YORK, May 12.—In search of evidence against Mrs. Helen A. Geisen-Volk, "baby farmer," Assistant District Attorney William P.

Ryan will have two tiny unmarked graves opened here today.
Ryan's decision to apply for exhumation orders was reached following new allegations against the founder of the east side "infantorium" where twenty-three babies have died during the past sixteen months.



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"Animals feed, man eats," is a popular saying in France, for no nation of the world has such a high regard for well prepared and daintily served food. Eating in France, is a ceremony—the cook has the pride of an artist in the dishes he prepares, and French cooking has established itself as a standard of culinary excellence.

It is not necessary to go to France, however, to enjoy food cooked, seasoned and served as it is in the land of epicure. Here in Indianapolis there are two delightful French restaurants, De Croes Pastry Shop and Lunch Room No. 1 at 215-217 E. Ohio St., and No. 2 at 427 Massachusetts Ave.

Near City Hall
The De Croes lunch room on Ohio St. is just across from the city hall, and has been a favorite eating place of workers in that neighborhood ever since it opened. From a single room it grew until two large rooms are filled with customers every noon.

The second lunch room, at 427 Massachusetts Ave., the first block south of the Murat Theater, was opened recently to care for the overflow and for those customers whose work is in this part of the city. However, there are many wise folks who willingly walk a long distance for a De Croes meal.

Three Menus
For lunch one may choose from three menus, that offer a choice of meats, vegetables, salads and drinks. A typical one is roast pork with mashed potatoes and brown gravy, string beans, crisp slaw, fresh hot home-made rolls and coffee.

In addition, one may order from a wide variety of pies, all of them home-made, with all the flaky deliciousness that every home-made pie should possess. The servings are generous, the service prompt and the food deliciously prepared. The pleasant surprise is that the bill for all of this lunch, including pie, is just 40 cents.

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The Great White Way will be no more brilliantly illuminated than Washington St. after the first of July, according to M. K. Foxworth, vice president of the Merchant's Heat and Light Company, which is putting in the town's new lighting system.

That date has been set for completion of the work of installing in downtown Indianapolis the new street lights. These lights will furnish illumination twenty times as bright as those now in use downtown and transform the business district into a region of everlasting daylight.

Tourists passing through Indianapolis along the National Rd., which extends the entire length of Washington St. from Irvington to Mount Jackson, will have their road illuminated so brightly that they will go away remembering Indianapolis as the white light city, and hold-up men will find themselves with no place to hide.

The lights will extend out Meridian St. from South St. to the canal, also by Oct. 1. Many streets outside the mile square will burst forth with strings of street lights from ten to twenty times as bright as those that now flicker from posts or overhead cables. When the 2,300 new lights are all working, Indianapolis will be in the same bright light class as New York and Salt Lake City.

The new lights will not only increase property values wherever they are installed, but, by using the latest type of light bulb, will give a maximum amount of light at a minimum cost to taxpayers.

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Goes Anywhere
Stevens has lived in Indianapolis for eighteen years and his services have made him acquainted with many residents on the west side of town. His work is not limited to this one section of the city, however, and his automobile ambulance will answer distant calls, as well as nearer ones, with promptness.

"My wife acts as my assistant in preparing the bodies of women and children for burial," Mr. Stevens said, "and from the time we are called until the burial takes place, I am at the service of those who have called me.

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