

STUDENTS, IN COSTUME, TO GIVE RECITAL

Program Will Be Presented
by Vocal Pupils of Miss
Conte.

A costume recital will be given Thursday at 7:45 p. m. at the Irvington School 57 auditorium by the vocal students of Miss Gertrude Conte. The program will include several arias from grand opera and songs of all nationalities given in costume. A play, "The Key to Happiness," written by Miss Conte and directed by Miss Mabel Le Fevre, will be presented. "Song Fantomimes" will be a novelty.

The recital is open to the public. Among those taking part are Misses Martha Jean Killian, Victoria Poglian, Dorothy Salsman, Irma Vollrath, Gerry Betsy Eldridge, Marjorie Hennis, Virginia Simpson, Marie Chenoweth, Ellen Westover, Kathleen Simms, Elizabeth Achenbach, Dorothy Hill, Ida Means, Katherine Smith, Gertrude Shoemaker, Cecilia O'Mahoney, Helen Montani, Mabel Le Fevre, Veda Norman, Helen Vincent, Catherine Moor, Thelma Wallace, Marie Wilson, Frieda Danner, Mildred Klein, Olga Krause, Mildred Williamson, Katherine Dietz, Helen Newlin, Marie Schelm and Mary Means, and Mesdames Virginia Clarke, Gladys Friesner, F. W. Schultze and H. H. Eger and Messrs. Bennett Wolfe, Maurice Fowler, Paul Bogard, James Westover, Vernon Beck, James Cummings, Marion Erft, Richard French, Juan Rivera, Ernst Heberlein, Howard Passell, Howard Cradick, James Clarke, William Cooper, James Neff, Howard Ward and Harry Wolfe.

WOMAN'S CITY CLUB TO MEET

Indiana University Provost
Will Give Talk.

Dr. S. E. Smith, Indiana University provost, will talk on the Riley Hospital at the March dinner meeting of the Woman's City Club, Wednesday night at 6:30 p. m. at the Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce. Mrs. O. E. McMeans, executive secretary of the Camp Fire Girls will make a short talk about this movement. Mrs. Louise George, in charge of the musical program, will present the Shortridge trio in a group of numbers. The trio is composed of Misses Harriet Pauline Payne, violinist, Susan Gray Shedd, pianist, and Janet Little, cellist. Special guests will be four new members of the club, Mesdames Martha H. Smith, Jeanette Kessler, George A. Shaw, and Hazel Workman.

BUSINESS MEN TO BUILD GYM

Want New Quarters for
Greenfield Basketball Team.

Incorporation papers for the Greenfield Holding Company, which plans to finance a new gymnasium for the Greenfield High School basketball team, were filed with the secretary of State today by John B. Hinchman, attorney for a group of Greenfield business men.

Capital stock of the corporation will be \$30,000. The holding company will erect the gym and lease it to the high school, which will retire the indebtedness from profits. Hinchman declared townships are so enthused over basketball that they would rather lose \$30,000 than be deprived of seeing the boys play.

SHARTS, CONVICT, LOSES

Verdict of \$10,000 Damage Against
Logansport Men Returned.

By United Press
PERU, Ind., March 20.—A verdict of \$40,000 damages against the Buick Motor Company and Benjamin Sharts, a convict in the State Penitentiary, was returned by jury in the Miami County Court today in a case filed by Don Douglass of Logansport. Douglass, receiver of the interests of Arthur Dunn, alleged a conspiracy between Sharts and the motor company to defraud Dunn out of his auto agency at Logansport. Sharts is serving a sentence of two to fourteen years in the State Prison in connection with the failure of the Denton Investment Company.

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leave Indianapolis for such
points as Anderson, Muncie,
Ft. Wayne, Kokomo, Logansport, New Castle, Marion
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Parent-Teachers Notes

A number of mothers interested in having a better understanding of Parent-Teacher work are planning to enroll in the short-term course to be conducted at Indiana University by Dr. Hatfield Edmondson and Mrs. G. G. Derbyshire, March 29 to April 1. Several have made definite arrangements, among them Mrs. Roger Williams, who will represent the James Whitcomb Riley School, No. 43, and Mrs. M. H. Harmon, president, and Mrs. Clyde Knapp, chairman of ways and means of Lucetta Mott School, No. 31 association.

No. 8, a junior high school, Virginia and Lexington Aves., will meet Wednesday to organize a parent-teacher association. The principal, Miss Mildred Weld, has called the meeting for 3:15 p. m. Mrs. Charles H. Smith will be present and Miss Dorothy Sandefur will sing.

The class in child psychology of the Oliver P. Morton School, No. 23, will meet on Thursdays of each week from 1:30 to 3 p. m. instead of Tuesdays. Mrs. E. M. Bundy is class teacher.

The Study Class of School No. 43 will meet Tuesday at 10 a. m. in room 19. Miss Flora Drake will speak on "Nervous and Mental Hygiene Among Children in Present-Day Life."

STATE COUNCIL OF WOMEN TO HAVE MEETING

Will Be Held April 8 and 9 at
Lincoln—Speaker From
New York.

The annual meeting of the May Wright Sewall Indiana Council of Women will be held April 8 and 9 at the Lincoln, according to Mrs. T. J. Loudon.

The session will open Thursday, April 8, at 9:30 a. m. with a board meeting. Reservations for the banquet that evening are to be made with Mrs. O. C. Lukenbill, 1902 E. Washington St., by April 1. Dr. Valeria H. Parker of New York will speak at the banquet and at the Friday luncheon. Reservations for the Friday luncheon will be made with Mrs. Melville Moon, 2402 Talbot Ave. Mrs. Allen T. Fleming is in charge of the legislative and citizenship discussions for the Thursday noon luncheon. Mrs. Lukenbill is chairman of citizenship. Reservations may be made with either one.

Dr. Parker, who will be the principal speaker, has been executive chairman of the social hygiene committee of the National League of Women Voters.

DAY NURSERY GUILD TO MEET

Benefit Card Party Will Be
Given April 7.

The Day Nursery Guild will meet with Mrs. Thomas Rosasco, 4001 Graceland Ave., Wednesday for a luncheon and business meeting. Assisting hostesses will be Mrs. William Hamilton, Mrs. William B. Engler and Mrs. Eugene Holland.

The guild will entertain with a benefit card party at the Columbia Club April 7. Mrs. V. E. Butler is general chairman, assisted by Mesdames John F. Engleke, H. F. Shanberger, R. J. McMurtrey and William Hamilton. Mrs. Thomas Rosasco is chairman of decorations. Mrs. Ralph Tindel, chairman of tickets; Mrs. William B. Engler, chairman of publicity, and Mrs. Donald Campbell, chairman of prizes.

BROTHERS BANKRUPT

Heber W. DeVon and Albert W. Hegg, salesmen of Covington, Ind., today filed voluntary petitions in bankruptcy in Federal Court. Heber Hegg listed liabilities at \$15,499.01 and assets at \$298.50; De Von Hegg listed liabilities at \$15,450.01 and assets at \$77.50, and Albert Hegg listed liabilities at \$15,560.89 and assets at \$80.75.



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SOFT WATER IS BIG FACTOR IN MODERN HOMES

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Hard water when used for toilet purposes is mighty hard on milady's fair skin and washing powders are hard on the clothes in the home laundry. But the modern way of getting around all this is to install a water softener. F. E. Trosky, merchant plumber at 2949 Central Ave., carries two kinds of water softeners—the one-valve, hand-operated, and the automatic water softener. So the problem of hard water is easily solved.

Trosky also features the Aladdin automatic down-draft oil burners, and in some of the severest cold weather of the last few months, the Aladdin has given excellent satisfaction in the Indianapolis homes. In these times of coal uncertainty, a satisfactory oil burner is a subject of vital interest.

Perhaps it's a kind of hobby with Trosky, but he carries far more than the usual stock of household appliances in his shop. "We believe that all appliances that tend to lighten the work of the housewife belong to the line of plumbing," remarks Trosky. "And we expect to add to our different lines of goods."

AWNING SHOP AT IT AGAIN

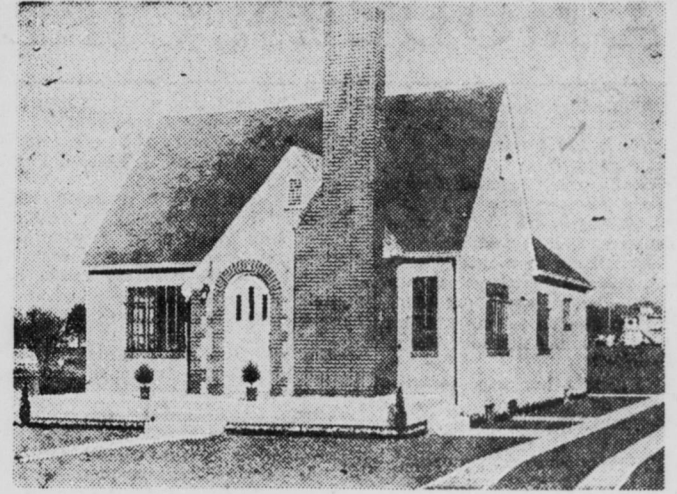
"Yes, we're right in the swing of business again," remarked W. H. Thorp of the Thorp Awning Shoppe, 2407 College Ave. A fire in the shop some weeks ago stopped business activities for awhile, but "we have more machines and more operators than before the fire," he added. The Thorp Awning Shoppe manager suggested that this is an excellent time to have old awnings hung. There always is a rush when warm weather arrives and the shop will be swamped with orders. "This concern has a large stock of striking new examples of what the new awnings will look like this year in the way of patterns. The colorings are more gorgeous than ever before. Every color is used and no home will be complete without colorful awnings. Orange again will predominate with harmonizing colors worked in. "Arabian and Venetian awnings are becoming more popular every year," said Thorp. "New ideas in spear heads and ornaments make it possible to arrange the awnings so that they carry a decided touch of the oriental. "Awnings for the homes are more in demand each year. They constitute the final effective touch of color and establishes the individuality of the new. We are looking forward to a great awning year."

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Stucco House Strikes New Note in Building Activities of City



The California stucco house at 5331 N. Delaware St., strikes a new note in building activities on the north side. Just what color the house will be when completed is not yet known, since the owner, Donald Springgate has not made his selection from the wide range of samples. Be the shade what it may, this home has a tone of individuality that attracts favorable comment from passersby.

It was built by R. H. Shelhorn Company. A surprising amount of interest has been manifested by prospective home-owners in the California stucco, according to the builders. The Shelhorn Company will be represented at the Home Complete Show at the State fairground next month with a house constructed of this new building material.

Well Back on Lot
The house, which sets well back on its lot of 56 by 130 feet, has a cement terrace over which an awning will be stretched this summer. The English-type door opens into a coat closet and into the large living room. The fireplace is built in a recess, on either side of which are bracket lights. The wallpaper here, as in the dining room, is light with a suggestion of pastel tints. The floors are hardwood throughout the house, and the woodwork in both dining room and living room is dark. An attractive, light den, which may easily be converted into a third bedroom, opens off the living room through French doors. The wallpaper is flowered. A hall, with a

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LARGE STOCKS ARE PURCHASED

J. A. Breedlove Predicts
Early Spring Building.

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"With this expectation, we are purchasing large stocks of materials, including lumber and will be prepared to meet any demand during the coming months."

"There have been few changes in price during the winter," he commented, "although some strength is noted in lumber because of the heavy building program in Florida and other southern territory, where large quantities of lumber have been consumed. We are looking forward to another period of steady prices and believe that conditions will be very favorable to the home builder."

Breedlove cited this statement from a current number of the American Lumberman: "Inquiries from buyers, both retail and industrial show much interest in the market and justify forecasts that spring buying is about to begin (this refers to trade with the middle west and north). Recent rains in producing regions have been less serious handicaps to the large reporting mills, which are not included in statistical compilations. Offerings are being steadily absorbed and prices continue firm."

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