

## MARKET STUDY COMMITTEE TO START INQUIRY

New City Mart Is Needed, Says John F. White, Group Leader.

A committee named by Reginald H. Sullivan to study city market condition, will meet early next week with the safety board to begin work, it was announced today by John F. White, chairman.

The committee was named following adoption of resolutions, urging improvements at the market, by the Woman's Department Club, the Seventh District Federation of Clubs and other women's groups.

Among matters to be studied by the committee will be proposals for revision of stand fees, abolition of curb stands, rerouting of buses to permit angle parking on the south and east sides of the market, and establishment of a checking room on the Wabash street side.

### Proposes New Market

White participated in two previous investigations which failed to result in any changes, he said.

Public interest in the market is waning, White said, because the building has been permitted to deteriorate.

"The ideal plan," he said, "would be to raze the present structure and build an entirely new market, with a basement parking space for about 1,000 cars. Entrance to parking space could be on Market street by means of a tunnel."

### State Owns Land

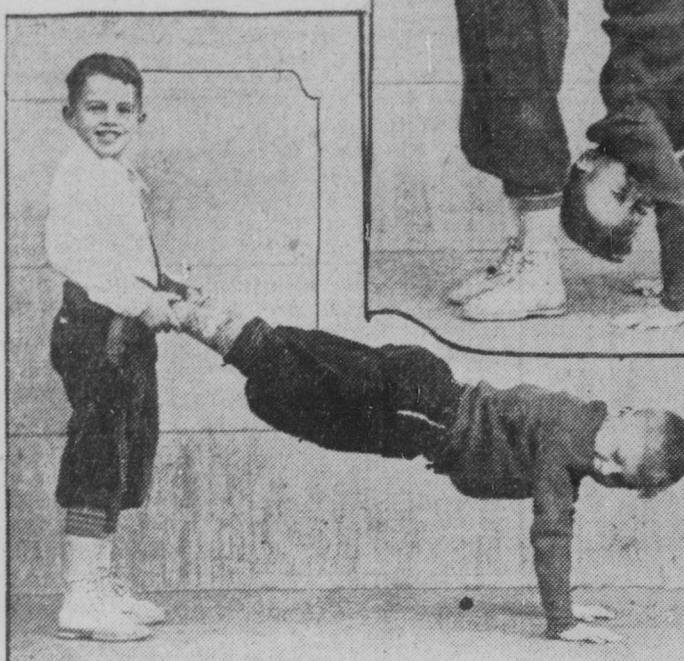
It is impossible for the city to move the market to a better location because of the expense. The land on which the market is located is owned by the state, the city merely having an easement on it for market purposes. If the site were abandoned as a market, possession of the land would revert to the state.

The auditorium was named Tomlinson hall in honor of a philanthropist who, in his will, left the city funds to pay a part of the cost of the building.

Besides White, other committee members are Ernest C. Ropkey, president of council; Fred C. Gardner, Leo F. Welch and Clarence I. Wheatley, councilmen; William F. Hurd, city building commissioner; Mrs. C. A. James and Mrs. E. E. Eschbach.

## Boys Learn Acrobatics

John Oberholtzer is the "upright" young man in these pictures, while Tommy Marley goes through a couple of the stunts he has learned in the acrobatics and tap dancing class for boys 5 to 12 years old at the Y. W. C. A.



Johnny Oberholtzer, 2945 North Talbot street, will tell you that the holding job, which he is performing in these pictures, is the tough one.

But Tommy Marley, 2128 North Alabama street, claims that the handstand, and being the wheel part of a wheelbarrow, are the parts that really are hard.

### Tax Lectures Continued

By Times Special

BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Jan. 29.—Following a series of forty-one lectures on taxation within the last two months, the Indiana university extension division announces a continuance of the series by Guy Cantwell, extension lecturer. A new itinerary now being arranged will make the Cantwell lecture available to luncheon clubs, farm bureaus and other groups in Indiana, according to Professor Hugh W. Norman of the division.

## FILLING STATION OPERATORS SIGN TAX AGREEMENT

Will Pay Chain Store Levy Pending Verdict in Court Cases.

In agreement between the state tax board and oil dealers, dealers will pay the chain store tax, and the money is to be held in escrow until settlement of test case covering filling stations, it was announced today.

A printed agreement has been drawn up between the board and the Midwestern Petroleum Company, which brought the test suit. All other dealers have been asked

to follow the agreement if they wish to escape delinquent tax penalties, should the court hold that filling stations must pay the chain store tax.

The money is placed in the Fletcher American National bank under the terms of the agreement, and will be returned should the court hold that the tax does not apply.

In the interim, the dealers making the payments will secure their chain store licenses.

That the fight against the tax is far from ended is indicated by bulletins of the National Chain Store Association, carrying figures to show that in the aggregate independent merchants pay more than chains under chain tax laws.

This conclusion is based on the idea that although the chain assessments are higher, the number of independent stores is greater, and, therefore, the aggregate tax levy is larger in the independent group.

Open 7:00 A. M. to 9:30 P. M.

## Better VALUES Easier CREDIT

Art Says:  
Bill Perkins, reputed millionaire, is being held for only \$10,000 ransom, causing creditors much anxiety.

We wonder if crossing the Delaware was as dangerous as crossing the street today.

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## P.-T. OBSERVE FOUNDER'S DAY

Marion County Groups Plan Several Celebrations.

Marion county Parent-Teacher Associations will present Founder's day programs this week.

Meetings scheduled:

Wayne Township  
Wayne Township will be held in the school gymnasium at Bridgewater Monday at 7:30. Members of the committee are: Mrs. Mabel Asher Mrs. Blue and Mrs. Ruby Stults. The

Meeting of the New Friends Association will be held next Friday at 1:30 at the Friends church. Founder's day program will be held at the school.

Warren Township  
Officers of the Cumberland Association

group is sponsoring the Girl Scouts and the Girl Scouts will be awarded the trophy at the meeting.

Decatur Township  
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