

## JOHNSTON RITES SCHEDULED FOR 2:30 TOMORROW

Member of Pioneer Family Dies at Home of Her Sister.

Funeral services are to be held at 2:30 tomorrow at the First Presbyterian Church for Mrs. Genevieve Karle Johnston, member of a pioneer Indianapolis family, who died yesterday at the home of a sister, Mrs. J. George Spohr, 1623 N. New Jersey-st.

Mrs. Johnston was 79. She was born in Indianapolis. She attended the old German-English school on Maryland-st. St. Mary's Academy and School.

She was married to Col. George W. Johnston, Pensacola, Fla., formerly of Indianapolis, who died 20 years ago. He was a member of the commission which built the Indiana Soldiers and Sailors Monument. Mrs. Johnston returned to make her home in the city with her sister.

Surviving with Mrs. Spohr are a son, Walter H. Johnston, Pensacola; a brother, Joseph C. Karle, and another sister, Mrs. Caroline Ruckelshaus.

### Mrs. Ella Cramer

Last rites for Mrs. Ella Cramer, who died yesterday after a month's illness, are to be held at 2 tomorrow at the home, 818 Buchanan-st.

Mrs. Cramer, who was 72, had been a resident of Indianapolis since 1901. She was born in White County and moved to Ohio following her marriage to Cyrus Cramer. They returned here 35 years ago.

Survivors are the husband; four sons, Melville Cramer, T. D. Cramer, N. C. Cramer, all of Indianapolis; and Donald Cramer of Chicago; four daughters, Mrs. Paul Lehman of Chicago, Mrs. Cray Landram and Mrs. Jerry Kindred of Indianapolis; and Mrs. Charles Kingery of South Bend; two sisters, Mrs. Grant Duvault and Mrs. Ira Robbins, both of Monon.

### Mrs. Cleo M. Lower

Funeral services for Mrs. Cleo M. Lower, 5752 W. Washington-st., who died last night in St. Vincent's Hospital after a two-day illness, are to be held at 10:30 Friday morning at Shirley Brothers Chapel.

Services are to be conducted by Dr. John B. Ferguson, pastor of the Irvington Presbyterian Church, of which Mrs. Lower was a member. She also belonged to the White Cross Guild and the Irvington Cemetery.

Surviving Mrs. Lower are the husband, a daughter, Miss Dorothy Lower; her father, J. W. Edwards, Monroeville, Ind.; a sister, Mrs. R. H. Robinson, Chicago, and a brother, A. A. Edwards, Tarpon Springs, Fla.

Mrs. Lower was born July 13, 1890, in Monroeville.

### Mrs. Frances Brock

Services for Mrs. Frances Haffner Brock, who died yesterday at her home in Shelbyville, are to be held at 3 this afternoon at the Shelbyville First Presbyterian Church. Burial is to be in Crown Hill Cemetery.

Survivors are a sister, Mrs. Helen Dowdy; a brother, John Vinton, and two nieces, Mrs. James E. Bailey and Miss Ruth Gilmore, all of Indianapolis.

Mrs. Brock, who was 79, was born in Wilmington, Ind. She was a member of the Shelbyville Church and the Order of Eastern Star.

### TEXAS DEMOCRATS SUPPORT NEW DEAL

Delegates Instructed to Vote for Roosevelt.

By United Press  
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 27.—President Roosevelt's New Deal had the unqualified support of Texas Democrats today.

By resolutions and by instructions to its delegates to the national convention, the state Democratic convention gave complete endorsement to the New Deal policies. The 100 delegates were instructed as a unit for the renomination of President Roosevelt and Vice President Garner.

Elliott Roosevelt, son of the President, was named a delegate from the Fort Worth congressional district.

### EMPLOYEES ARE HONORED

Kresge Co. Present Awards to Women for Long Service.

Two employees of the Kresge Co. have received recognition for more than 25 years of continuous employment in the company. Miss Eleanor Maris received a dinner ring for 26 years service and Miss Clara Wente, a wrist watch, for 30 years service. Awards were made yesterday at a meeting of store employees. R. L. Pierce, manager, was in charge.

STOUT'S FACTORY

## Children's Shoes —COOL SANDALS— BAREFOOT

SIZES  
5 1/2 to 8 \$79c  
SIZES  
8 1/2 to 11 89c  
SIZES  
11 1/2 to 2 \$1.00  
SIZES  
2 1/2 to 8 \$1.29



318-332 Mass. Ave.  
Second Block  
STOUT'S STORES OPEN 8 A.M.  
CLOSE WEEK DAYS, 5:30 P.M.; SATURDAY 9 P.M.  
SHOE STORE

### TECH SENIORS WIN I. U. EXTENSION AWARDS



Mary Prater (left above) and James Cahill, Technical High School seniors, have been awarded scholarships to the Indiana University extension division.

## MANUAL SENIOR YEAR BOOK OUT

Semi-Annual Publication Is Distributed at School by Staff Members.

Senior Booster, semi-annual senior year book at Manual Training High School, was distributed by the staff, composed of June, 1936, graduates.

The editorial staff included Charles Johnston, editor in chief; Robert Crouch, assistant editor; Angelo Angelopoulos, sports editor; Herschel Hinkley, assistant sports editor; Caroline Patnick, clubs and organizations editor; Iva Mae Debaker, Ivy Day writer; Jud Jordan, historian; Alma De Baun, class play writer; Margaret Postma, Class Day writer; Harold Thornberry, art editor.

### STRUCK BY TRAIN, DIES

Motorist Burned Fatal in Crash at Crossing Near Columbus.

Times Special

COLUMBUS, Ind., May 27.—John A. Hack, 63, a leather tanner, died of burns early today after his automobile was struck by a Pennsylvania passenger train two miles south of here.

Mr. Hack, witnesses said, stopped his car at the intersection of Road 58 and U. S. 31 to let a truck pass. He then drove into the path of train. The wreckage burned. He is survived by an invalid wife and two children.

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## CONSUMERS ON RURAL LINE GET FIRST CURRENT

43 Farm Homes Served in Boone County; 60 Miles of Wire Strung.

M. J. Bridges, general manager of the Indiana Rural Electric Membership Corp., announced today the energizing of 60 of the first 160 miles of wiring completed in Boone County in the Lebanon and Thorntown areas.

"In the first 60 miles of wiring we have 43 homes connected and probably 150 more farm homes ready for connecting," he said. "Wiring of homes has advanced so that within the next two weeks approximately 200 homes of farmers will have electricity," he added.

The Boone County electrification project is one of the first to be completed in the United States under REMC and is the first rural electrification project actually to reach the consumers under the Federal Rural Electrification Administration.

William C. Richart, chief engineer of the Indiana REMC, estimated that 100 miles more of wiring would be completed by the middle of July with an estimated total of 600 homes served in the Boone County farm district by that time.

"And there's even one washing machine going in on the first 43 homes energized," said one of the REMC engineers.

The home is that of Mrs. Clark Woody on State Road 32, west of Lebanon.

Mr. Richart said some barns also had been wired but that the wiring in them has not been completed.

Lebanon is reported to be experiencing a miniature boom in the demand for such electrical appliances as radios, electric irons, toasters, washing machines and similar articles.

Got Loan of \$567,926

The Boone County project, when complete, according to Mr. Briggs, will embrace 587 miles of line.

The project was allocated \$567,926 for the construction of the lines. Loans, obtained from the Federal government, are to be repaid out of earnings of the co-operative venture.

"The rural people in Indiana, who have never been served by elec-

tric power, are so eager to co-operate to receive the benefit that interesting evidences of their willingness often appear," Mr. Briggs said.

### Lend Neighbor a Hand

"In one instance, the neighbors of a farmer who felt he could not afford to wire his home, went together and paid for the work and installation in order to have him as a member and have their neighborhood reached with electricity."

Mr. Briggs said the Public Service Commission had approved orders for REMC corporations in Wabash, Huntington, and Rush Counties, and the approval will mean loans by the REA of more than a million dollars for approximately 1240 miles of rural lines in the three counties.

Applications for loans also are

sought by the following counties: Johnson, Marshall, Henry, Hendricks, Hancock, Carroll and Franklin.

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