

## Male Chorus Plans Picnic Tomorrow

### New Officers Listed

By Maennerchor

The Indianapolis Maennerchor will have its annual picnic tomorrow at the A. R. Young farm in Cumberland.

In the fall the male chorus will commence its 95th year of continuous activity and its 12th year under the direction of Clarence Elbert.

### New Officers Named

Recently elected officers for the coming year include: Sherwood Blue, president; George Amt, vice president; I. W. R. Keen, secretary; Albert Nachtrieb, financial secretary; Herbert S. Eiter, chairman of publicity; Maurice Pennington, entertainment chairman; Ludwig Burch, chorus committee chairman, and Kenneth Duncan, retiring president. Thomas Eagan, member of the board of directors.

Five members have received perfect rehearsal attendance prizes: John J. Long, Marion Mathas, Mr. Pennington, Kenneth Venis and C. O. Warren.

The following service pins have been awarded: William M. Hubert, 29 years; Mr. Burk, Leslie Aye, G. M. Broc and A. G. Emhardt, 10 years.

### Voice Recital Planned In DAR Chapter House

Jane Johnson Burroughs, Indianapolis voice teacher, will present Natalie Graham, soprano, and Stanley Duncan of New Castle, in a joint recital at 8 p.m. Sunday in the DAR Chapter House.

Henry Oakes will be accompanist for Miss Graham and Mrs. Floyd Payne of New Castle will accompany Mr. Duncan.

### Cigarettes and \$63 Cash Taken by Thieves

Two minor burglaries were reported to police overnight.

Thieves who broke in a rear storeroom took \$20 from a cash register at the Arrow Supply Co., 933 N. Illinois St.

Pryng the lock off a door, burglars took 10 cartons of cigarettes and \$43 from a grocery at 2489 N. Oxford St.



**AFFAIRS OF STATE**—The duly elected and appointive officials of Hoosier Boys State, American Legion-sponsored study in government being held this week at the Indiana School for the Deaf, get together to discuss running the state. Left to right sitting are Lamar Gaston, Bloomington, secretary to the governor; Glenn Umbarger, Kokomo, attorney general; James Little, Evansville, governor; Ryan Shaw, Crawfordsville, secretary of state; Ned Snyder, Lafayette, auditor; John W. Porter, Ft. Wayne, lieutenant governor. Kneeling in the rear are Conrad Joyner, Connersville, secretary to the governor (left), and Richard Zieg, Boonville, superintendent of public instruction.

### Fireworks Show Slated July 5

The Sahara Grotto fireworks display usually held on July 4 will be held the following night this year.

"With the Fourth falling on Sunday, we are holding the show on Monday in deference to churches and religious bodies," explained John W. Sproule, Grotto monarch.

He promised that this year's show will be the "most spectacular" yet. It is being planned as

a community project, he added. Skilled technicians will have charge of the entire affair.

Tickets are on sale at the Grotto clubhouse and at Hook and Haag drug stores, Mr. Sproule said.

### Driver Fined, Jailed Following Brawl

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### Fritz Kuhn Caught On Husband's Tip

#### Says Bund Leader Wrecked His Home

MUNICH, June 18 (UPI)—A Munich bank clerk said today that he had tipped off police that Fritz Kuhn, former head of the German-American Bund in the United States, was hiding out with his divorced wife in Bernkastel.

"I did it to prevent more mischief between them," the bank clerk said.

Authorities disclosed yesterday that Kuhn had been captured in the French zone town last Tuesday. He escaped from the Dachau internment camp on Feb. 4.

The former husband identified Kuhn's girl friend as blond, blue-eyed Hedwig Munz, an old flame and mother of two children.

"Kuhn turned her head by tales of his importance," the husband said.

#### Tools Children

The clerk, who asked that his name not be used, said he could not forgive Kuhn for wrecking his marriage. He did it, the clerk said, with tall tales of how he bossed Nazis in the United States.

"I bear no grudge against my wife," the former husband said. "We parted friends."

He said his wife left Munich in mid-March for Bernkastel to be with Kuhn. She took her children with her.

The clerk said his wife knew nothing of Kuhn's plans to escape from Dachau. She heard about it on the radio after Kuhn got away, he said.

The former husband said that two or three weeks after the escape one of his children told him the Bund leader had visited Hedwig in Munich.

Shortly afterward, he added, Hedwig left with the children—a girl of six and a boy of eight—for Bernkastel.

### Hoosier Educator to Hop For Germany July 15

MARTINSVILLE, June 18 (UPI)—Floyd Hines, superintendent of schools here for the past three years, today was winding up his affairs, preparatory to going to Germany to accept an offer to assist the military government's educational program.

Mr. Hines, who was granted a two-year leave of absence, said he would be a senior specialist in elementary education at Bremen and Bremerhaven in the Western zone of occupied Germany.

He will fly from Westoverfield, Mass., July 15, with his wife and two children following by boat.

### Redeem Your TRANSIT TOKENS Now!

Indiana Railways tokens are worth cash! By order of the Public Service Commission, Indianapolis Railways will redeem any metal or paper (not stubs) transit tokens until midnight, June 30, 1948, at the rate of 3 for 25¢. Or you may use them for rides until that date. Operators of Indianapolis Railways vehicles will be able to redeem tokens at 10¢ each for each customer. Please take 25¢ collections of tokens to Room 914, Traction Terminal Building, 119 N. Illinois, where they will be redeemed for cash.

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## State Guard Units In Recruit Drive

### Seek Youths Covered By Proposed Draft

Indiana National Guard units over the state are launching a program to handle an accelerated flood of enlistments of young Hoosiers who would be affected by the proposed draft.

Armories in 55 Indiana communities are to be kept open during the evening hours to give information to prospective recruits who want to take advantage of the guard's training program and exemption from the draft law now under consideration by Congress.

The current bill exempts members of the Indiana National Guard from the draft and also exempts young Hoosiers who may join the organization before reaching the age of 18 years and six months.

Adjutant General Howard Maxwell said that the section of the bill exempting young guardsmen is not likely to change.

### Miracle of Miracles—In Dizzy Motor Age

A car running at high speed went out of control in the 5100 block W. Washington St. early today, turned over several times, skidded 200 feet on its side and crashed into another car.

The driver, Virgil Davidson, 26, of 1040 S. Mount St., was not hurt but he was arrested on a charge of drunkenness. His car slid into one driven by George Kelley, of Fortville. Mr. Kelley was not hurt either.

### OES MEETS TUESDAY

Lyndhurst Chapter 505, OES, will hold a stated meeting and initiation Tuesday at 8 p.m.

## Charlie McCarthy Forgets His Hat In Trip to Sweden

PHILADELPHIA, June 18 (UPI)—Two straw hats for Charlie McCarthy were being flown to Stockholm, Sweden, today.

Charlie and Edgar Bergen are to appear before the King and Queen of Sweden soon.

BUT CHARLIE went to Europe without appropriate summer headgear. A Philadelphia hat firm was notified and rushed out two special hats, size 5%.

The hats were put aboard an American overseas airline plane yesterday.

### Ex-Minister Undergoes Emergency Operation

BLOOMINGTON, June 18 (UPI)—Rev. J. D. Jeffery, retired Methodist minister of Indianapolis, was reported in satisfactory condition today after undergoing an emergency surgical operation here yesterday.

The Rev. Mr. Jeffery was stricken while attending a session of the Indiana Methodist Conference here.

### Professor to Speak

Prof. Thomas F. Barton, Indiana University geography department member, will discuss the new conception of geography as a science and study at the regular weekly luncheon-meeting of the Rotary Club to be held Tuesday in the Claypool Hotel. He recently was elected president of the National Council of Geography Teachers.

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