

WANT THE CO-OPERATION OF SCHOOL CHILDREN

Saengerbund Committee Calls on the School Board—Federation of Clubs Present Resolution.

A communication was received by the board of education last evening from the local committee of the Saengerbund, calling attention to the national saengerfest to be held here July 20-24. It was stated that a chorus of 2,000 voices would be here, and an attendance from outside the city of probably 15,000 people. It was also noted that arrangements are being made to have here at that time four or the best singers of the United States and one from Germany at a cost of from \$600 to \$1,200 each.

The committee suggested that arrangements be made for a children's chorus one afternoon, the same as has been done in other cities, and asked the co-operation of the school children.

A communication from the Federation of Improvement clubs was received, calling attention to the need of better facilities at the High school, and suggesting the removal of the tower on the old building. A committee, consisting of Maurice Terkelsen, S. Arlon Lewis and E. W. Fitch spoke briefly in support of the resolution. The board took no action, as it is not deemed wise to begin work on the tower until the close of school and the builders state that it is not dangerous.

The salary of Miss Bird, clerk in the office of the secretary of the board, was increased from \$90 to \$100 a month.

Howard B. Smith presented a lengthy communication protesting against the construction of a manual training building on the north side of the High school, stating that it would disfigure the landscape.

On motion of Dr. Holovtchiner copies of the resolution changing the name of the new north side school to "Howard Kennedy school" were ordered engrossed on parchment. One will be placed in the hall of the building and the others presented to the children of the late Mr. Kennedy, Alfred C. Kennedy, president of the board of education; Judge Howard Kennedy and Mrs. Grigor.

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