

### BOK NAMES NEW BODY FOR ACADEMY

Corporation Formed to Operate Home for Music—Has Capital of \$250,000

### HAVE FIVE-YEAR LEASE

Names of the men associated with Edward Bok in incorporating the "Academy of Music Corporation" and saving the Academy for the concert of the Philadelphia Orchestra and the Metropolitan Opera Co. were made public today by Mr. Bok. They are: Alexander Van Rensselaer, John P. Brown, Thomas De Witt Cuyler, Charles Yarnall, Samuel S. Felt, W. Hinckle Smith, Cyrus H. K. Curtis, William Jay Turner, Edward W. Bok, Robert K. Cassatt, George W. A. Drexel, Henry P. McKean, Robert L. Montague.

### MAY DIE OF OLD WOUND

Special Officer Baker Being Treated at University Hospital. A bullet wound received four years ago may cause the death of Charles Baker, 4434 Lindlow street, a special officer of the thirty-second street and Woodland avenue police station. Baker, who is a brother of Magistrate Carl Baker, is being treated at the University Hospital where it is said that his condition is critical.

### Has a Five-Year Lease

As announced by Mr. Bok at the annual meeting of the Philadelphia Orchestra Association two weeks ago, the new organization will assume a five-year lease of the Academy of Music. He also made it known at the time that arrangements had been completed whereby the customary sixteen performances of the Metropolitan Opera will be given in the Academy, as well as the usual fifty concerts of the Philadelphia Orchestra.

A charter for the new corporation has been applied for by William Jay Turner, counsel of the company. The corporation has a capital stock of \$250,000, which, Mr. Bok said, has been largely oversubscribed. It was thought, he added, that twenty-five men would "come in," each taking \$10,000 of the stock. Instead, thirty-one Philadelphians, including the late Mr. Newbold, volunteered to assume a share of the responsibility.

Five more men, Mr. Bok said, have signified their desire to join the corporation, and thus the \$250,000 worth of stock will be divided among thirty-four men. In that connection, Mr. Bok expressed deep gratification over the public spirit evidenced by his friends and coworkers.

"It has been nothing short of wonderful," said Mr. Bok. "If one takes into consideration how tight money is, how many of the so-called 'drives' are failing and how people are handicapped by the high living cost, it will be clear that the willingness of those men to assume this additional burden showed them to be Philadelphians in the best sense of the word."

To Elect Board Soon. A board of directors and a full roster of officers, Mr. Bok said, will be elected immediately upon the granting of the charter.

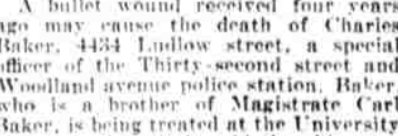
Albert A. Jackson, vice president of the Girard Trust Co., is given in the charter application as treasurer, and George T. Haly will be assistant treasurer. Mr. Haly also will be in charge of the new "open-all-day" ticket office to be installed in the Academy of Music, with a branch office at 1119 Chestnut street, as at present.

Mr. Bok further announced that Alfred Hoeserle, manager of the Metropolitan Opera House, will resign his position to become manager of the Academy under the new corporation. The seating capacity of the Academy, Mr. Bok said, will be increased to more than 2000. To that end about 200 seats will be added by a rearrangement of the parquet floor. That work, as well as the making of some necessary changes on the stage and the painting of the dressing rooms, will be begun on July 1.

The work will be in charge of Peter Clark, consulting engineer of the Metropolitan Opera Co. of New York. The allocation of boxes and seats for the opera, Mr. Bok said, will be entirely outside the functions of the Academy of Music management, and will be controlled by the Metropolitan Opera Co. of New York. So far as the Philadelphia Orchestra is concerned, these arrangements will be in the hands of Arthur Judson, the manager, as heretofore.

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The program included numbers for piano, violin, cello, harp and voice and was found most enjoyable by the large audience present.

Those who participated were: Piano, Gertrude E. Campbell, Susanne M. Schaub, Jane M. Butterworth, Priscilla Cho Chos and Dorothy Rinkus; voice, Anna Lubar, Roger Clayton, Mrs. Katherine Rigins, Mary Young, Helen Hefflinger, Paul Towner and Sabina Uleau; violin, Raymond Vetter, Aaron Molind, Alec Washeo and Charles A. French; harp, Florence Westburner and Mrs. Marion Rlor Compton; cello, Creola Glenn and Walter Dreher.

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