

Lag Noted in Entries For Halloween Parade

Entries for the 1962 Chillicothe Halloween Parade Wednesday, Oct. 17, are running about 15 per cent behind a year ago, Richard Downing, entries chairman, reported Tuesday evening at a meeting of the planning committee.

With 18 new entries, Mr. Downing said there are now 67 entries, exclusive of queens and bands.

Mrs. Florence Frakes reported there will be 22 queens—including the present Miss Ross County—and O. I. Copley, general chairman, reported a total of 18 bands will appear in the line of march.

Mr. Copley, Mr. Downing and Parade Marshal Merton A. Moore conferred with Police Chief George W. Rice, Service Director James P. Rice and City Parks & Recreation Director Russell (Pat) Wright on physical arrangements for lining up the parade in Yocumango Park, designating judging areas and controlling parking and traffic the night of the parade.

The committee is urging residents of Mulberry Street—a leg of the parade route—to lend a hand if they can in lighting the dark area. Residents are being asked to turn on their porch lights and—if at all possible—to arrange a floodlight to shine upon the street.

Among the bands entered in the parade are the Adelphi Community band, Laurelville High School, Huntington send, evadot bands, Clarkburg High School, Scioto Valley High School, Kingston High School, Frankfort High School, Chillicothe High School senior and cadet bands, Unoto senior and cadet bands, Paint Valley High School, Buckskin Valley High School, and Centralia Junior and senior bands.

Other entries as reported by Mr. Downing:

Kingston Cub Scout Pack, community service float, Knights of Oldland swing band; Mount Logan 7th & 8th grade cheerleaders; Scioto Valley Little Leaguers, community service float; Mount

Bids Opened On East Main St. Project

Bids were opened at noon Tuesday for \$160,000 in bonds to pay for the city's share of the East Main Street widening, according to Bernard J. Stacey, acting city manager.

The apparent low bidder was McDonald & Co., Cleveland, which bid an interest rate of 2 1/2 per cent and a premium of \$1,012.

Other bidders, their interest rates and premiums, were: Stranahan Harris & Co., Cincinnati, 2 1/2 per cent, \$955; The Ohio Company, Columbus, 2 1/2 per cent, \$954; The Provident Bank, Cincinnati, 2 1/2 per cent, \$970.40; Sweeney Cartwright & Co., Columbus, 2 1/2 per cent, \$988.16; Bran, Bismore & Co., Toledo, 2 1/2 per cent, \$971; Ryan Sutherland & Co., Toledo, 2 1/2 per cent, \$925; and Doll Ishpording, Cincinnati, 3 per cent, \$1,771.90.

City Council is expected to take action on the bids Wednesday night, Mr. Stacey said.

Negro Nominated By Georgia Dems

ATLANTA (AP)—A 28-year-old Negro lawyer in his first political campaign emerged today atop a four-man race for the Democratic nomination to one of Georgia's newly redistributed state senate seats.

If he wins the Oct. 23 runoff, Leroy R. Johnson will face general election opposition from another Negro, Republican T. H. Alexander who was unopposed in the GOP primary Tuesday.

CHS Band to Play At Pumpkin Show

Chillicothe High School's band will appear at the Circleville Pumpkin Show Wednesday night.

The local band will not only march in the parade, at 7:30 p. m., will present a concert at 9 p. m. in downtown Circleville, at Court and Main Streets.

FINAL MYNOM SING

JACKSON — Last of a series of community hymn sings will be held in Memorial Auditorium Sunday at 7:30 p. m. as a prelude for the Christian Witness Crusade Oct. 24-Nov. 4.

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