

PLANS UNDER WAY FOR 4TH OF JULY HERE

Representatives from Local Organizations Report Program Progress.

FUND SOLICITATION SOON

Seek Speaker Among Briker, Underwood, Stephenson, Day and Sawyer.

Plans for a Fourth of July celebration as large or larger than last year's were in the making at a meeting of representatives of local organizations at the probate court room, Friday night.

Mr. George E. Benson, chairman of the fireworks committee reported that he already has received a fireworks display program from one company and has asked for bids from three others.

Mr. Henry E. Brith, member of the Chillicothe park board stated that he has written the F. E. Gooding show asking for a contract for rides and concessions, similar to those represented last year, to be offered in the park during the week of the Fourth. Mr. William E. Hedrick has made an unsuccessful effort to contact other show companies.

Seek A Speaker

In an effort to obtain an outstanding speaker for the occasion, Mr. Paul Francis, chairman of the program committee has sent invitations to Attorney General John W. Ziesler, Supreme Court Judge Arthur H. Day and Will F. Stephenson, Federal Judge Mel G. Underwood, and former Lieutenant Governor Charles Sawyer.

The Adelphi Community band, through Manager Orval Pontious, has been invited to participate in the parade and program. Secretary Ray C. Donnell reported.

L. W. V. Enders Plans

One of the first organizations to signify its intention of entering a float in the parade is the Chillicothe League of Women Voters who reported their plans in a communication from Mrs. Christine L. Frank, secretary.

Solicitation for funds to finance the celebration is expected to begin soon. Mr. Harold A. Barnhart, treasurer, announced that a sizeable donation has been received from the Chillicothe Paper Co. and the Chillicothe chapter of Disabled American Veterans of the World War has donated \$5.

Present at the meeting were chairman O. J. Hayes, Secretary Ray C. Donnell, Messrs. John W. Richardson, George E. Benson, William E. Hedrick, W. E. Tull, Henry E. Brith, Harry E. Anderson, C. E. Jones, Paul Francis, and William A. Wolcott, and Ray C. Donnell.

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