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More Displays Than Ever Set For Ross Fair

Ross county's fair machinery is moving into high gear for the big annual event that opens bright and early Monday, Aug. 18, and closes officially at 9 p. m. Friday, Aug. 22.

Reports of encouraging progress were made Monday night at the regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Ross County Agriculture Society with President Charles Betsch presiding. Nineteen of the 30 members of the board were present.

Reports Encouraging

Division and department heads reported excellent progress in all sections, with every committee on the job and forging ahead.

So far more commercial exhibitors have been signed than ever before, there are more free displays and all the various social agencies working in the city and county will have exhibits, said President Betsch.

He also reported that the advance sale of season tickets is underway, with assistance being given by various service, fraternal and social groups and by Summers & Son and the Citizens National bank.

From the inquiries that have been made there are indications of a bigger and better speed program (horse-racing) than ever before, it was reported by Kenneth Crabb, secretary of the speed committee.

President Betsch reported that the Ohio Midland Light & Power Co. will have a display in an especially large tent showing the latest in electrical appliances and equipment for the homes of both urban and rural residents.

In addition the fair board has provided another large overflow tent for both free and commercial exhibitors.

Donations Received

President Betsch reported a donation to the board of \$50 from Fred Brewer, representing the Clearview Gun club, and 100 bales of straw from the Jones Implement Co. of Kingston.

The board plans to have two bands on the grounds daily from city and county schools, along with the Adelphi band, Circleville Community band and the Circleville drum and bugle corps.

Contract for the upkeep and supervision of fire equipment at the grounds has been let to John Blakeman, fire equipment dealer.

Contract for both hay and straw service at the fair has been given to Frank Bowdler of Frankfort.

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