

FIREMEN HEAR OF CONVENTION

Chief To Report Tonight On National Convention At Philadelphia

A report on the international fire chiefs' convention in Philadelphia is planned for tonight at the meeting of the firemen by Williams G. Olsen, fire chief, who attended the four day event which ended last Saturday.

Four points were stressed in the entire program of speeches and demonstrations, Chief Olsen said. They are fire prevention, fire fighting, the problem of traffic and selection of firemen.

More than 2,000 fire chiefs and fire engineers attended the convention from United States and Canada, with several noted men speaking on subjects in relation to fire departments.

An increasing problem to the fire departments which was pointed out during the Philadelphia session and which is especially applicable in traffic regulation, Chief Olsen averred, is the interference of traffic with the fire engines in making rapid progress to fires and the dangers which are incurred were discussed at the convention. The selection of men was pointed

FAMOUS LION TO ARRIVE

All the glamour of circus days will come to Birmingham Friday at 12:30 p. m. when 'Leo', Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer lion will be here.

Leo, known as the world's most famous lion, will be received by 35 Birmingham Lions when the Lions club meets the procession on the outskirts of south Birmingham.



He is the famous lion who bows his head to the thousands of movie fans patronizing Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer pictures and many are a film stars who have been introduced by Leo.

The lion will enter Birmingham riding in his huge car which is estimated to be worth \$17,000. A calliope will precede the procession of cars, giving all the atmosphere of sawdust days.

From south Birmingham, the club members, led by an automobile containing the officers, will escort their mascot to the Kunkin-Birmingham theater where the public will be permitted to see Leo in front of the theater.

It is possible that Leo will lunch in Birmingham and the children of the village will have an opportunity to see the beast eat part of the 15 pounds of raw meat which form his daily rations.

Leo is probably the only lion

who can boast of having ridden in an airplane. Last fall he started on a non-stop flight from Los Angeles, Cal., to New York City in a monoplane, which was a duplicate of the Spirit of St. Louis.

A severe electric storm in Arizona put an end to the flight and Leo is forced to continue his journey by railroad.

REPORT RETURNS IN HOUSE DRIVE

The total building account as announced today by the Community House building committee stands at \$49,378.51 which is within less than \$11,000 of the amount named as actually necessary in cash before breaking of ground for the new structure can become a reality.

Announcement that the second payment on the pledges came due Oct. 15 was placed in the mails yesterday ten days ago, and since that time the committee reports a total of \$9,262 has been received by their treasurer, Mrs. Hazel E. Lawrence, by Hamilton, Grand Trunk R. R. Maple and Woodward Ave.

Committee members arrived at meeting 6:30. Moved by Commissioner McBride that the following preamble and resolution be adopted:

Whereas Oct. 22, 1928, was heretofore by this Commission as the time for the opening of a public utility law by the Legislature, to-wit: Ferrelde, Oakland and Woodward Ave. in the Village of Birmingham, and whereas notice of the meeting has been given to the public by law to each person owning property in the village of Birmingham, and a special assessment district established for the purpose of raising the amount of \$18,470.75, almost half of which has been received.

Several gifts of material nature have been received, and in the finished building have been announced. The Hawthorne Electric company has donated an electric refrigerator, two large hot water heaters are the gift of Frank Shuell, F. W. Chamberlain has given an oil burner, Paul Honore, artist, is the donor of a mural painting which will find a place in the completed building. A. J. Stahelin has offered to arrange shrubbery planting for the grounds, and Alice Thurler will give her services toward a portion of interior decorating.

The sun room which will offer an ideal spot for bridge parties and gatherings of a similar nature, is to be called the Susan Miller room in memory of the first president of the Community House board eight years ago. Many contributors to the Community House fund, have requested their donations be used in building and furnishing this memorial room.

Community House officials are considering designating of other rooms in the New House by memorial titles.

Henry Emmens of Hull, Eng., had Ruth Marley, a servant, arrested for stealing his trousers to wear at a masquerade dance.

A card mailed 35 miles away in 1913 has just been delivered to Mrs. Lois Ward of Birmingham, Eng.

VILLAGE COMMISSION PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Village Commission held at the Village Auditorium, Birmingham, Oct. 22, 1928, at 8:00 p. m. were read and approved. Present: Mayor, Commissioner McBride, Commissioner Hersey, White, McBride, Henry S. Ober, and Commissioner Hersey.

621—Moved by Commissioner Hersey that the following bills be read: 1. Ann Arbor Foundry Co., \$23,861.71; Birmingham Sign Co., \$23.00; City Plaster and Plumber Co., \$2.00; Detroit Edison Co., \$2.35; Jake Dumlich, \$70.30; Grand Trunk Railway, \$10.00; Inter-City Managers' Association, \$20.00; Michigan Motor Freight Lines, \$1.91; Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., \$17.21; E. R. Richardson, \$43.00; Murray W. Sales & Co., \$51.90; Superior Seal & Stamp, \$21.60.

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To certify the said assessment roll to the Village Treasurer for collection. Yes: 7; Nays: 0.

The application from Saunders-Shaw Corp. to operate two motor buses within the Village of Birmingham received. Yes: 7; Nays: 0.

625—Moved by Commissioner White that a license be granted Saunders-Shaw Corp. to operate two motor buses in the Village of Birmingham. Yes: 7; Nays: 0.

626—Moved by Commissioner Hersey that the following preamble and resolution be adopted: That, Whereas, pursuant to a resolution passed by this Commission on Oct. 8, 1928, the Village Assessor of the Village of Birmingham has prepared Special Assessment Roll according to maps, diagrams and estimates on file with the Village Clerk for the opening of a public utility law in the block bounded by Ferrelde, Oakland and Hargett Streets, in the Village of Birmingham, and Whereas he has reported them to this Commission as required by law, now be it resolved, that said Special Assessment Roll be read with such Village Clerk, and be entitled Special Assessment Roll for District No. 181, and that a notice of such meeting be published as required by law. Yes: 7; Nays: 0.

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The Commission of the Village of Birmingham met in the Village Clerk's Office in the Village of Birmingham, on Oct. 22, 1928, at 8:00 p. m. to hear suggestions and objections of persons interested in said special assessment, and that a notice of such meeting be published as required by law.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1928.

Present, Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles R. Fox, Deceased.

Arthur C. Peck, administrator of said estate having filed in said Court a petition praying for final examination and allowance for his final account to date: It is Ordered that the 19th day of November, A. D. 1928, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Secretary a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

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Probate Register.

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