

Harbor Springs Considers Staging Ottawa Indian Ceremonial Every Year

By The Old AAA Traveler

Flagstaff, Arizona, has its great events of color and pageantry. If a group of Michigan residents carry through their plans, and it appears certain they will, Harbor Springs will be the locale of an Ottawa Ceremonial which may become the most colorful single event in Michigan's galaxy of tourist-drawling shows. It is planned to stage the first

of the ceremonials this summer, but the project is aimed at developing the event into greater and greater magnitude, year by year, until it equals—or surpasses—the two western shows.

'Guiding Spirits'

Two of the guiding spirits behind the great Michigan ceremonials are Dr. Robert A. C. Wollenberg and Dr. Louis J. Gariepy, both of Detroit, and both adopted members of the Ottawa tribe. Dr. Wollenberg is "E-Kwag-in," chief of the Ottawa tribe.

It is the considered opinion of the Ottawa chief that a large number of Indians can be persuaded upon to come to Michigan for the ceremonials, just as they assemble from all over the country for the western shows.

It was the opinion of the leaders of the movement that the ceremonials may be made one of the greatest tourist-attracting events that this state has ever presented. Dr. Wollenberg pointed out that it would be hard to find a single element in the vacation areas which attracts quite as much attention as Indians.

He pointed to the elaborate ceremonials in the Wisconsin Delta, which draw Indians from all over America. These ceremonials bring the finest of the ceremonial dancers and chanters of the various tribes and attract literally hundreds of thousands each year.

Dr. Wollenberg said, "Michigan has a fine collection of the Indians, and it is fit and proper that its ancient customs should be perpetuated. Our plan is to make this great ceremonial a means of keeping the customs fresh in the hearts of the Indians, as well as of the white people."

Harbor Springs, the Ottawa capital, is definitely the place to stage this great festival, for there is blue water, green forests, white beaches and blue skies, all precious to the red man in the day when he was king of all he surveyed.

A little later in the season the friends of the Ottawa plan to make a flying tour of Harbor Springs to further confer with residents there and to ascertain in what manner they can better further plans for the big show.

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The National Fire Prevention Conference had President Truman for its speaker, a man who has been under fire more than once without showing a single....

A United Nations translator who understands 40 languages says Italian is best for making love. On the other hand the less said the better.

Henry Wallace has been facing so much heat lately you wonder if maybe he isn't having grounds for a radio network vice presidency.

The United Nations planners are trying to get advertising signs banned from the East River and other sites. Perhaps they wisely feel that it would aggravate a touchy situation if the delegates looked out a window and were advised if maybe they weren't as clean as they thought they were.

IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk, June 22, 1947.

ORDINANCE NO. 200

CITY OF BIRMINGHAM

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 187 AND TO ADD TO THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM ORDINANCES BY AMENDING SUB-SECTIONS 4 AND 11 OF SECTION 4 OF THE CITY OF BIRMINGHAM ORDINANCES.

That subsections 4 and 11 of Section 4 of the City of Birmingham Ordinance, be, and they are hereby so amended as to read:

4. All buildings, walls and other structures, or any part thereof, which are so situated as to obstruct or interfere with the view of any public highway or public square, or any other public place, shall be so constructed as to permit the unobstructed view of such highway, square, or other public place to be seen from the highway, square, or other public place.

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its adoption by the Board of Health of the City of Birmingham, Michigan, on this 24th day of June, 1947.

RALPH A. MAIN, Mayor

IRENE E. HANLEY, City Clerk

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Notice is hereby given that the City Commission has been requested in all things relating to the Special Assessment Roll No. 235, and

Notice is further given that there will be little or no benefit to the property within the district at the present time.

Notice is further given that the Commission of the City of Birmingham will meet on the 28th day of June, 1947, at 8 o'clock in the evening in Board Room 1100 of the City of Birmingham, for the purpose of hearing any objections to the creation of said Special Assessment District, such valuation to be made upon the basis of a temporary and tentative, or final assessment, in the expense of the property owner.

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

NOTICE TO CREDITORS: In re Estate of Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate of the Estate of George A. Woodruff, Executor of said Estate.

AN ORDER: That the 14th day of July, A.D. 1947, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, by and in the presence of the creditors and interested parties, the following accounts of the said estate, and the discharge of said administrator, be and they are hereby so approved as to read:

1. To establish a camp of this site.

2. To remove or injury trees, shrubs, or plants of to remove sand, gravel, or other material from the site.

3. To remove, deface, or injure any building, equipment, improvement, sign, or other public advertisement on or literature on the site.

4. To occupy this site during the time when Orchard Lake is closed to all fishing.

5. These acts and regulations shall be in force and effect from June 20, 1947, to June 30, 1947.

PENALTY: Whoever violates or fails to perform any act set forth in the rules in paragraph 1 to 5 of this order, shall be liable to a fine of not more than \$100 and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment in the county jail for not more than 90 days, or by both fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Judge of the Michigan Conservation Commission, Lansing, Michigan. HAROLD TITON, P. J. HOPMAN, Conservation Commission, Lansing, Michigan.

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