

CLEVELAND ELKS IN STRONG BID FOR '37 CONFAB

Expect Support From Other Ohio Cities

CLEVELAND, Aug. 21—Cleveland Elks this week took the necessary steps to become a strong contender for the honor of entertaining the 1937 convention of the Improved Benevolent Protective Order of Elks of the World with the appointment of a joint committee by W. D. Williams, exalted ruler of Spirit of Ohio lodge 52; Lethia C. Fleming, daughter ruler of Glenara Temple; Z. E. Brown, exalted ruler of King Tut lodge; Lillian Wilkerson, daughter ruler of Mary B. Talbert Temple.

Those on the committee in addition to the above-mentioned include Mary Taylor Gates, grand trustee of the grand temple; Assistant police prosecutor, Perry B. Jackson, president of the Ohio State Association of Elks; W. W. Williams, district deputy of Northern Ohio;

Mary La Santee, Mezaline Leigh, Evelyn Bedell, Claude Atkins, Mrs. Sam Williams, Mrs. Lena G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. H. Meckley, John W. Hartwill, Carl Hunter;

Sam Johnson, Rev. William McCutcheon, Rev. Homer Turner, Dr. James A. Owen, Ida Mosely, Dr. A. J. Whitehead, past state president; John Dunlap, Evelyn Hartwill, J. Morgan, L. R. Gray, Naomi Woods, Esseleea Johnson;

Genevieve Hunt, Orentha Shy, Anna Craighead, Robert Gentry, S. Ball, S. Thomas, M. Dunlop, C. Gray and R. Carter, C. J. Allen and T. Fleming.

A special excursion train will leave Cleveland Saturday night, Aug. 22, with bands and marching clubs with the determination of bringing the convention back to Cleveland.

Cleveland will be ably supported by strong delegates from other Ohio cities.