

ELKS OF OHIO HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION

J. Finley Wilson One of Speakers

Youngstown, Ohio, Oct. 18.
—One of the largest attended sessions of council No. 15, district 1, northern district of Ohio of past exalted rulers and Progressive council of past Daughter Elks of the World was held here Sunday.

Buckeye lodge No. 73, of which Raymond O. Johnson is exalted ruler, was the host. Nearly 500 Elks attended the sessions.

Among the features were a joint session of the brothers and daughters and an address by Grand Exalted Ruler J. Finley Wilson. The sessions of the Past Exalted Rulers' council were presided over by Attorney Thomas E. Greene Jr. of Akron, former football star at Western Reserve university. Other officers included Attorney W. H. Shelman of Steubenville, first vice chief antler; Rev. Gordon Clemens of Sandusky, second vice chief antler; John Banks of Akron, third vice chief antler; W. Hackley of Toledo, chief bursar; R. B. Richardson of Cleveland, first scribe, and Z. S. Brown of Cleveland, assistant scribe.

The sessions of the past daughter rulers were presided over by Loyal District Daughter Ruler Lena G. Brown.

Among the others present were: Sidney B. Thompson, grand esquire; Lethia C. Fleming, assistant grand commissioner of education; Mollie DeBraun, president of the state association; Mamie Rose Jackson, grand trustee; Attorney Thomas W. Fleming, past grand legal adviser; Hon. Perry B. Jackson, exalted ruler of King Tut lodge No. 359 and assistant grand legal adviser; Attorney Selmo C. Glenn, exalted ruler of Cuyahoga lodge No. 95, all of Cleveland, and the following other exalted rulers: G. Fletcher Sledge, Steubenville; Dr. P. M. Johnson of Toledo and William Crosland of Alliance. The following deputies were present: Stephen A. Ball of Cleveland, district deputy of the northern district of Ohio; Special Deputy Dale Scott of Toledo, William Harth of Youngstown and the veteran Elk George Rideout of Youngstown, our state organizer.

It was voted unanimously to hold the next session Jan. 12 at Alliance.