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FROM OUR PRESIDENT: It hasn't been a very stringent or energetic month this month. I suppose we can attribute this to the holiday period and the current and past months weather condition. As of right now, we have no project in the mill other than the Quarter Horse Show this coming April the 17th. We are still in "limbo" on the city park Lions Cage and Rest, still waiting for the directors of the Zoo to give us the signal. Other than helping the Evening Lions put up the fence at the Betty Dare Home, we haven't many plans. HAVE A SUGGESTION ? Submit it, and let the Board decide. We need a project - bad ! !

January is Founders' and re-dedication month. Lion Melvin Jones was born January 13th 1879, at Fort Thomas, Arizona. His father, Capt. Cal Jones was a US Army Cavalryman who commanded a troop of Scouts. His mother was the former Lydia Gibler. She raised her infant son under the constant threat of an Indian raid. Fort Thomas was an outpost on the Gila river between the Santa Teresa and Gila mountains, just 40 miles from the Apache stronghold. Just three years before Melvins birth, the Sioux massacred Custer's band of scouts at the Little Bighorn.

One third of the District Governors' membership development period has passed. I know some of you are planning on sponsoring a new member during the remainder of this period, but to the rest of you, lets work a little harder and see if we can't help our fellow man and the District Governor. I would like to see Lion Morris attain his goal of 1000 members in District 4C-M. Remember - he awards a very handsome clutch pin, and I will also award a membership medal. Invite your friends, your neighbor, or any man you think would enjoy the fellowship of Lionism.

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