

# EAGLES OPEN CONVENTION HERE WEDNESDAY EVENING

### Governor Stewart Will Respond to the Address of Welcome by Mayor Newman—E. D. Weed of Helena Will Deliver Address—E. H. Stone Will Preside.

Everything is set for the greatest state convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles when the delegates gather in the city tomorrow that ever occurred in Montana. By a happy arrangement effected between the Eagles committee from the local aerie and the committee in charge of the city's celebration of the Fourth of July, the street decorations which served for the Fourth will be continued thru the Eagles meeting and thus a holiday dress for the city is insured. The business moved by the same desire that caused the celebration committee to see to it the Eagles received co-operation in getting the city decorated, nearly all of the stores will appear in their holiday dress, so that when the Eagles visit they will find Great Falls looking her best.

E. Homer Stone, president of the local aerie, has a loyal bunch of members working earnestly to make this the best state meeting the Eagles of Montana ever held and it can be said that the members of the aerie are working as one man to see that everything is in shape for the visitors when the advance guard arrives tomorrow. The facts are that the welcome could be extended and the work started this afternoon, if it were the need so perfectly has the committee worked out the plans.

Governor Sam Stewart will be the guest of honor and the principal speaker at the meeting tomorrow evening when the state convention is launched on its work. Governor Stewart is the past worthy state president and makes it a point to attend the annual meetings and his coming will bring interest and added dignity to the session. He will respond to the welcome which will be extended to the convention delegates by Mayor Louis Newman, so that there will be two officials on the list of speakers tomorrow evening at the opening session although only one of them will appear as a member of the Eagles lodge.

President Stone will preside and the music will be by the orchestra composed of members of the Great Falls aerie. There will be an address by E. D. Weed of Helena on the subject of "Fraternalism." Mr. Weed has been a member of the order for a number of years and is an orator of ability so that the opening evening will be one full of interest to all and will be open to the public. The meeting will be held in the Palace theater at Sixth street and Central avenue.

The order of the program tomorrow, as arranged by the Eagles gives the time over to reception of delegates from 8 in the morning until the speaking starts in the evening. There will be a liberal number of committees from the local aerie busy in seeing that every visitor gets comfortable quarters and is made to feel not only that he is welcome in Great Falls but that the people of Great Falls are glad he came to attend the session. He will also be given to understand that there is an active bunch of Eagles who are affiliated with the Great Falls aerie and that they would have been disappointed if every accredited delegate had not put in appearance for the session. He will be given to understand, also, that while he is in the city, the purpose is to make his stay pleasant so that he will want to return for another visit at some future time.

Thursday the real work of the convention will be taken up. With all the convention formalities out of the way, good progress is anticipated on that line. After the opening formalities which as stated, will be held in the Palace theater, the sessions will be held in the lodge hall of the Elks temple. The sessions there on Thursday will open at 9 in the morning when the formal ceremonies of opening the grand aerie will be conducted. After the credentials have been passed upon and the convention committees have been named, there will be an adjournment until 1 p. m. when the actual routine of the state meeting will be the order. The afternoon session will last until 5 o'clock when the delegates will go for a sight-seeing trip about the city.

The evening feature scheduled for Thursday is the banquet which is now planned to be given at the Masonic temple auditorium. The banquet is intended to be a happy little get-together affair for the Eagles and while there is not expected to be anything heavy in the line of oratory, there are several informal talks arranged for by the delegates from various points in the state.

On Friday, according to the program, the sessions will again be confined to business and a portion of the business will be the degree work which will be put on by some of the crack teams of the state. Butte is sending over a strong

## CHAMBERS' TAXED \$100 FOR HIS ACT

### Admits He Threw Rock at Automobile and Court Makes Penalty Heavy.

A \$100-fine, the maximum penalty allowed a police court sentence, was imposed by Magistrate George Raban yesterday on F. W. Chambers when it was proved that he last Saturday evening hurled a rock at the automobile driven by Officer J. L. Baltazor. Chambers admitted throwing the rock, but asked for clemency on the ground that his provocation was great. In explanation of his act he offered the excuse that he shot the driver of the car was attempting to run him down, as had cars passing him previously. He said the car came within six inches of him and that he threw the rock with the intention of demolishing one of the lights. The driver was dressed in civilian clothes and Chambers said he did not know he was an officer. Under examination he admitted that he "lost his head" before throwing the rock.

Officer Baltazor told the court that he had passed another machine at the place where the rock was hurled and of necessity drove over close to the right side of the street, but at a rate of speed not in excess of eight miles per hour. He saw Chambers and a woman standing by the side of the road, but had not seen them before they stepped out of the highway, and had no intention of either running them down or frightening them. Mrs. Baltazor was leaning out of the car when the rock was hurled, the missile passing close to her head before it struck the car.

"I regard you as a dangerous man," the magistrate told Chambers, "and I will impose the maximum penalty. You have told me that you threw the rock at a time when you lost your head, which seems to prove that it is not safe for people to come near you when you are angry. It is no credit to you that you did not strike the occupants of the car, for it could as well have gone inside as outside the machine."

The rock in question was in police court as evidence against Chambers and certainly could have been made a formidable weapon. It was larger than a man's fist and weighed approximately a pound. Chambers paid his fine immediately after sentence was passed.

### HAJEK'S BROTHER DEAD.

Joseph Hajek, employed as a linotype operator in The Tribune composing room, yesterday received advice that a brother had been killed while fighting the Bolshevik forces in Bohemia.

# MEETING CLEARS WAY FOR BLACK EAGLE ANNEXATION

### Discussion of Matter by Committee, Townsite and City Officials Brings Understanding That Will Permit Early Completion of Formalities.

A tentative plan under which the town of Black Eagle will probably be admitted to be included within the corporate limits of the city of Great Falls was determined upon last evening at a meeting held in the council chambers at the court house, of a committee of citizens from the north side town, Mayor Louis Newman, City Attorney La Rue Smith and Sam Stephenson, of the Townsite company. The matter has been before the council for the past two weeks, coming up for consideration incident to the filing of a petition by residents of Black Eagle, and last night was fixed as the date for a meeting of a council committee, the committee from Black Eagle and townsite and city officials. The council committee was not present, but in their absence it was found possible to adopt a course of procedure that will permit of the proposed annexation being accomplished with a minimum of delay.

The meeting was called to discuss the amount of land to be included in the new unit and it developed that the Black Eagle committee and Mr. Stephenson were both anxious to have the town made a part of Great Falls city and with it a reasonable amount of adjacent territory. The exact location of the lines will be determined next Thursday, when the Black Eagle committee, City Engineer L. B. Evensen, Mayor Newman, Attorney Smith and Mr. Stephenson will cover the ground in anticipation of making definite and conclusive recommendations to the council. Immediately thereafter formalities necessary to the annexation will be put under way.

Mr. Stephenson stated at the meeting that he did not think the Townsite company would be willing to have all its land across the river come within the city limits, but he thought that all of the company's ground between Black Eagle and the smelter and enough land lying to the west of the town to care for expansion liable to occur within the next five years should be included. The Townsite company owns, altogether, 1,500 acres of land between the smelter and the west side and Mr. Stephenson stated that an amount of it is being preserved for industrial sites and business institutions of the kind ordinarily attracted to such a location. Many concerns of this nature, he said, prefer to be without the city limits and since the entire tract need not come in in order to accomplish the annexation of

## CAMP BUILDINGS WILL BE PAINTED

### Rotarians Will See That Structure on Belt Creek Used for Boys' Outing Gets Attention.

Businessmen will don overalls Sunday when members of the Rotary club will paint the lodge at Camp Rotary, the boys' outing resort constructed by the local Rotarians. Under the direction of J. A. Miller, boys secretary of the Y. M. C. A., a party of rotarians will make the 65 mile trip to Belt creek early Sunday morning and will remain at the camp until the large central building has been painted and prepared for the occupancy of the young campers who will attend the camp from August 20 to 30.

As part of the annual encampment there will be held, from August 21 to August 24, an institute for northern Montana boys leaders. There will be three periods of instruction each forenoon. Subjects to be covered include the work of the American Standard program, athletics, training for leadership, and camp and hike organization. Leslie E. Eichelberger, state boys secretary, will have charge of the instruction.

The bill against ticket scalpers seems to have been snatched baldheaded.

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## ORDER OF VASA

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