

# GREAT IMPETUS GIVEN TO BEE LINE HIGHWAY

### Delegates Return From Annual Convention Enthused Over Results Obtained at Meet; Ask for Over \$800,000 Appropriations; Construction Work Progressing Rapidly in Three Counties; Great Falls Will Be Host to Delegates in 1920.

Convinced that measures which will make the Y-G Bee line the popular highway between Yellowstone and Glacier parks were adopted and that completion and perfection of this, the most direct route connecting these national playgrounds, will be accomplished in the immediate future, Great Falls delegates to the annual convention of the Y-G Bee line association have returned thoroughly enthused with the results of the meeting held at Livingston.

Congress was memorialized for appropriations aggregating \$820,000; co-operation with state and federal good road agencies was pledged; the interior department, the department of agriculture, the Montana congressional delegation and the forestry department, were asked to lend their assistance in securing needed funds; plans were laid for a membership campaign; a budget system was adopted for the handling of finances; and a decision to form a group organization in different interested countries was reached. These things and the disposition of minor details comprised the business transacted at the convention and the local delegation believe that every feature of the extensive program will work out to the advantage of the Bee line, make for its popularity and prestige and attract tourists to the localities which it serves.

and L. L. Newton, secretary, were also present and gave interesting talks.

The local party went over the Bee line from Great Falls to Livingston and found work progressing satisfactorily at places where contracts have been let, both in Cascade and Meagher counties. Travel over portions now under construction is difficult owing to the uncompleted condition of bridges.

R. J. White, of the contracting firm doing the work to the Meagher line, has assured the good roads committee of the Commercial club that his work will be completed this fall. Contractors and commissioners of Meagher county told the delegates last week that work would be completed for a distance of 17 miles, leading from the Cascade county line to a point just beyond the A. B. Cook ranch before winter.

**Will Be Popular Road.**

An appropriation has been set aside for the construction of that portion of the Bee line leading from White Sulphur Springs to the connecting link, which will assure a finished highway in that section. The Great Falls party experienced no difficulty in making good time on the highway south of White Sulphur Springs. This road is in excellent shape and with minor improvements will equal any portion of the route.

The party returned by the way of Bozeman, Three Forks, Toston and Helena. This route was followed that the distance over that road might be logged and a study made of improvements realized on the Geyser-to-Glacier trail. After making a minute examination the delegates were convinced that the Bee line will be the popular route when completed.

**Leavitt Re-Elected.**

Scott Leavitt was re-elected president of the association, and Mr. Skinner was again chosen treasurer. Other officials named were: A. V. Gibson, of Kalispell, first vice president; and Frank P. Edwards, second vice president. The board of directors is composed of W. H. Griffin, of Flathead; G. W. Merkle, of Cascade; J. F. Johnson, of Meagher, and H. J. Miller, of Park.

Appropriations asked for in the resolutions to congress are for amounts to be expended as follows: Five hundred

## THINK POISON CAUSED DEATH

### Autopsy Ordered When Forrest Phillips and Dog Die After Eating at Cascade Ranch.

Poison is that to have caused the death of Forrest Phillips, age 25, residing on a ranch near Cascade. County officials are investigating the death and an analysis of the contents of the stomach is now being made under the direction of Dr. L. R. McBurney, coroner.

According to local officials Phillips died suddenly after eating. A dog on the ranch which ate some food Phillips did, died immediately.

According to physicians who examined the body indications of strychnine poisoning were found.

thousand dollars for construction of the Belton-Glacier project; \$200,000 for the Livingston-Gardiner project, and \$120,000 for the Blackfoot Indian reservation project. The national parks service has endorsed the proposal to link the parks of Montana with good roads and an appropriation will also be asked of this department.

**Men Who Count Interested.**

W. H. Merriman, district freight and passenger agent along the Northern Pacific at Helena, pledged the co-operation of his road in the good roads movement, stating that the rail lines are not opposed to the improvement of overland highways. W. E. Bennett, Livingston, agent for the same road, also approved the purpose of the convention. G. B. Haynes, of the Milwaukee, was another railroad man who praised the efforts of the association.

"Travel makes travel," he said. "Good roads will help the railroads, inasmuch as they encourage settlement of agricultural districts, which means increased commercial activity."

C. Zahmizer, of the state highway commission, extended congratulations, declaring that the association has undertaken a genuinely constructive program and expressing the opinion that the Bee line will shortly be gravelled the entire distance. He also spoke of the federal road allotment for Montana. Over \$1,500,000 will be designated for local application before 1922.

Horace M. Albright, superintendent of Yellowstone park and representative of the interior department, made a statement interpreted as meaning that when completed the Bee line will be given official recognition as a route between Yellowstone and Glacier parks by the interior department. George H. Loutz, district forestry engineer, stated that a bill, carrying an appropriation of \$100,000,000 and to be expended for road improvements within the next 10 years, has been introduced in congress.

Keep out of trouble. No matter what the court may decide there is a large jury on the outside that will believe the charges.

## SMOKE SPOILS TOURISTS' FUN

### Five Small Fires Near Two Medicine and Cut Bank Chalets in Glacier Park.

Five forest fires, relatively small in importance but of enough consequence to make advisable the removal of campers in the vicinity of Two Medicine and Cut Bank chalets in Glacier park, were reported in Great Falls Tuesday by C. M. Henrikson, financial secretary for the Y. M. C. A., who returned with Fred Parish and Cecil Ede from a vacation trip to Glacier. Mr. Henrikson, stated that the fires are at places where the timber is not dense, a fact that removes from the situation much of the danger that exists where fires are in progress in other parts of the state, but the forestry service has considered it advisable to bring about the departure of campers from the localities named. Trucks used by the forestry service in the tourist trade are being employed in bringing people out of the fire zone.

"There seemed to be no serious danger of fire spreading over a big territory," said Mr. Henrikson, "but because of the dense clouds of smoke the pleasure of our trip was destroyed and we came home several days before we had planned. Smoke is rising in dense clouds near Two Medicine and Cut Bank chalets and the heat is noticeable, although not serious."

"In getting back to Glacier Park station we travelled three miles of smoke so dense that it was impossible to see for any distance and the discomfort at times was pronounced. The fires are confined to places where the timber forms a thin growth and this will probably mean that the situation will never get out of hand, but the smoke is spoiling the fun for many people who happen to be in the park at the present time."

## Ordered to Return Clock and Suit Case

Justice of the Peace John T. Earll has conducted a hearing in the case of the State of Montana vs. Sam McGee. The defendant was charged with purloining an alarm clock and suit case from Henry Smith, 402 Third avenue south, last February. McGee boarded at the Smith place. When brot into court he stated Smith could have the articles any time he wanted them. Justice Earll therefore, ordered McGee to return the clock and suit case and also to pay the costs in the case, which was agreeable to Smith.

## FINED FOR DRUNKENNESS

Magistrate George Raban in the city police court Tuesday afternoon fined W. H. Longcan \$10 on the charge of being drunk. However, he suspended sentence when the defendant agreed to leave Great Falls within twenty-four hours.

## Cutbank Installing Sewerage, Prior Reports

Harold Prior, assistant to Engineer H. P. Walters of Cut Bank, spent Sunday in the city visiting his parents, and reports that Mr. Walters has planned and is now installing at Cut Bank one of the most up-to-date sewerage systems in the state; and that a large amount of other public improvement work is being done.

A whole lot of men expect to get the benefit of the doubt when there isn't any.

## NEWEST FALL MILLINERY

We announce our first showing of fall hats on and after August 20. You will find on display a very generous assortment of trimmed hats in the latest styles, colors and materials. Our hats are of the highest grade obtainable and as usual our prices are the most reasonable.

Ideal Millinery, 409 Central avenue, Upstairs.

## PATRIOTIC DANCE

Luther's hall Thursday night. No more dances Wednesday nights. This week Thursday, Music by Harmony Jazz orchestra. Admission 75c. Ladies free. Patriotic Dance club.

## I. O. O. F. NOTICE

Regular meeting this evening at 8 p. m. All Odd Fellows are urged to attend. J. R. SWAN, Secretary.

## NOTICE CARPENTERS NOTICE

All members of Carpenters' union, 288, are urgently requested to attend a special call meeting Wednesday evening, Aug. 20.—Business of importance to be transacted. By order of president, O. I. MAGUNSEN.

## I. U. O. F.

Regular meeting this evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Work in the first degree, and other business of importance. J. I. SWAN, Secretary.

## ROOMS WANTED

Those having well heated and lighted rooms for rent, single or for light house-keeping and suitable for teachers, please register same at the office of the superintendent of city schools, Washington building. Several students desire room and board near the high school and want places to work for their room and board. Those interested register as above.

## NOTICE

In the event of a strike of icemen, anybody can obtain ice by calling at our ice houses.

GREAT FALLS ICE CO.  
PEOPLES ICE CO.  
CRYSTAL ICE CO.

## NOTICE

Bids will be received at the Fred Eder ranch near Riebeling, Montana, up to and including August 30, 1919, for the construction of a cut 1,000 feet in length containing 6,930 cubic yards of earth, on the Burke ranch, near Riebeling, Montana.

HENRY C. RIETZ,  
SOPHIE EDER,  
MINNIE FULBERG.  
Dated August 12, 1919.

## NOTICE

Work completed on district No. 359. Present all claims within five days to CHRIS OMHOLTZ.

## STORE AND MAIL ORDER HOUSE

For farmers & stockmen will handle fresh eggs. Col. Stark, mgr., Great Falls.

## SEED WHEAT FOR SALE

Turkey Red winter wheat either old or new, perfectly clean and free from smut and all foul stuff, raised on new ground.

E. Cooper, 1325 First avenue north.

## NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

160 acres all fenced, with 3 springs, cross fenced, small cabin, to be sold on Aug. 21 at public auction at 10 a. m., at south entrance of Court House, Great Falls.

JOHN HELLER, Administrator.

## ARE YOU MOVING?

We buy most everything. Storage in fireproof building, ground floor. Charges reasonable. American Junk & Mch. Co., 513-15 Third avenue south. Phone 7073.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Owing to the teamsters' strike and the inability of the garbage department to remove the garbage accumulation, all persons having garbage are requested in the interest of the preservation of health to wrap in paper all garbage, consisting of meats, fruits, vegetable, and all matter subject to decay. All persons having an accumulation of waste papers are requested to care for the same by either having them burned in their furnace or placing them in receptacles to prevent scattering.

By order of the Board of Health,  
By Wm. SHEA, Sanitary Officer.

## D. WATSON ROBB

Insurance.

## ICE

Anybody can obtain ice by calling at our City Supply House in the rear of 115 Central avenue. Open Sundays and daily from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

PEOPLES ICE CO.

## WILBER TRANSFER CO.

Pack and crate household goods for storage and shipment. Phone 5917.

## HAY

Timothy, upland alfalfa clover. Immediate or future delivery. Robt. L. Rowell, 123 Central.

## WINTER SEED WHEAT

For sale at Wm. Steele ranch 18 mi. south of Great Falls. Price \$2.50 per bushel. Eden Route, Box 31.

## BEAUTY PARLOR

Gertrude Kelly graduate of E. Burham's beauty system of Chicago has opened a fully equipped shop. New methods used. Cordial invitation extended you call. Open evenings by appointment. Phone 8979. Hotel Federal, rear of Post Office.—Adv.

## COAL AND WOOD

Excavations and concrete work. Niles & Smith. Phone 9489 or 265.

## FOR SALE

Complete set of mahogany bar fixtures suitable for soft drink parlor. M. McDonnell First National bank building, or P. O. Box 691.

## BAGGAGE AND TRANSFER

Any and all parts of city. Phone 672. Day or night service.

## Pierce's Orchestra

For all occasions. Phone 8160.

## STRAITON'S ORCHESTRA

There will be men stationed at all ice houses, who will serve people calling for ice from 8 a. m. until 8 p. m.

## PEOPLES ICE CO.

CRYSTAL ICE & STORAGE CO.

## BETTER KODAK FINISHING

Our work is done by experienced workmen. Try us and you will not be disappointed. Heyn's Elite Studio, 10 Fifth street south.

## NORTHERN HOTEL

Under new management. Cool, clean quiet rooms \$5 wk. Transient rooms \$3

## BLACK COAL AND DRAYAGE

Co. Phone 327.

## A. A. COLE

Team work. Coal. Wood. Phone 8949.

## COAL - WOOD - TRANSFER

City Coal Co. Phone 6922.

Violin lessons. N. O. Bergh, 611 1st street south. Phone 7858.—Adv.

## ICE

Clear and pure made from city filtered water—Crystal Ice & Storage Co. Phone 6323.

Phone 6478 garbage and ashes removed on short notice.—Adv.

## BERGH'S ORCHESTRA

Phone 7838.

## W. R. GRAY

Excavations, concrete work. Phone 6804.

**The Paris**  
DRY GOODS CO.  
Ford Building

# The Clear Call of Fall Fashions Is Being Answered Daily at The Paris

**The Paris**  
DRY GOODS CO.  
Ford Building

### A Prophecy and a Reality

—It has been said recently that an American electrical experimenter, looking toward the transportation of the future, believes that the chief means of travel will be trains without wheels, running on single tracks, and moving almost without friction because they slide on runners separated from the track by a thin film of water.

—The advantage over modern transportation, if such trains became practicable, is prophesied as noiselessness of operation, equal carrying capacity, and about twice as much speed.

—The idea looks visionary, but after all it is not wise to distrust possibilities for that reason.

—Over 24 years ago the founders of the Paris had a vision, a practical one; a vision of broad scope because it included much.

—At that time an idea sprang into existence, the acorn that has become a great oak, the store of helpful, courteous service, a store that would provide a wealth of dependable merchandise, a store of modern conveniences such as would make shopping a pleasure.

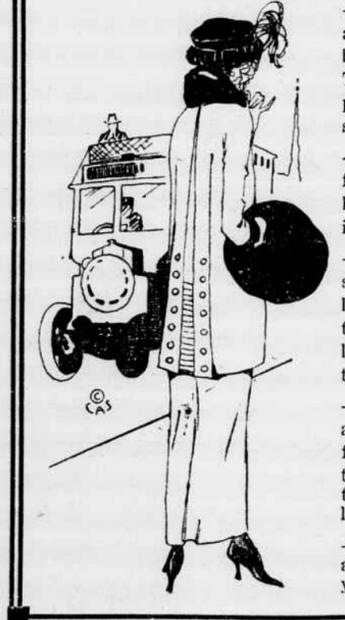
—The vision at that time—similar to the vision of frictionless transportation—was a store conducted along lines that it would run so smooth there would be no perceptible friction.

—Today the Paris stands as the outgrowth of that idea, inasmuch as it is a profitable and pleasing place to shop.

### MAIL ORDERS

—Send us your mail orders or requests for samples of new Fall fabrics—they will be given prompt attention.

## Special Displays of New Fall Suit Modes



—As one views the splendid array of new Fall and Winter Suit models there seems to blow a breath of Autumn coolness across one's vision. Their crisp touch of newness gives a sharp impression of nippy nights and chilly mornings, so soon to be.

—Summer things and thoughts fade away before this display of new October shades and hues. The new fall styles now absorb all interest.

—Among the new arrivals are some of the smartest tailored models—wonderfully good looking. Of charming new fabrics—many of them silk braid bound and cut along severe lines that so many women and girls have found to be most becoming.

—Others more frivolous and just as attractive are of lovely velours and duvetyne, sometimes fur trimmed, often with close-set rows of buttons for trimming effects. In a few instances the collars are high. Of course the coats are longer and—

—Really it would be far better to come in today and see these touches of Autumn beauty for yourself—we will enjoy showing them to you.

A New Shipment of  
**Khaki Riding Suits**  
\$18.50 and \$24.50

and also some new  
**Khaki Riding Breeches**  
at \$6.75

**Still Plenty of Time to Wear These Pretty Wash Frocks**  
They are on sale at  
**\$6.75, \$9.00, \$12.50**  
Regular values to \$29.50

—The larger portion of this assortment consists of new models that have arrived within the last few days—special purchases by Mr. Fligman in New York.  
—Of beautifully designed gingham, voiles and of organdies.

### SPECIAL—Silk Gingham Plaids, \$1.45 Yd.

—36-inch silk gingham plaids in a splendid variety of neat, attractive patterns and beautiful color combinations. See the display in our First avenue windows. Regular \$1.75 values—special at, per yard, \$1.45.

### SPECIAL — Mesh Union Suits

—To close out a small lot of men's and boys' mesh union suits, they have been marked very special, as follows:  
**Men's Suits \$1.00 Boys' Suits....75c**

### Children's Handkerchiefs, 3 for 25c

—Children's lawn handkerchiefs with colored cord edge, extra values, 3 for 25c.  
—In the New Annex.

### Ladies' Handkerchiefs, 3 for \$1.00

—Ladies' issue handkerchiefs, in all colors, which by the way are absolutely fast colors, 35c each or 3 for \$1.00.  
—In the New Annex.

### CHIFFON CLOTH, \$1.50 YARD

—42-inch silk chiffon cloth, in an excellent range of all the staple shades and colors. Priced per yard, \$1.50. —In the New Annex.

### SILK GLOVES 65c PAIR

—Silk gloves, made with two clasps, in gray, navy, black and white. Sizes 5-1-2 to 8-1-2. Special, 65c pair.  
—In the New Annex.

### SILK GLOVES 89c PAIR

—Silk gloves, in two-toned effects; gray and white embroidered, in black. Regular values to \$1.25; special, 89c pr.  
—In the New Annex.

### Notions

—35c Slipper veils, special.....25c  
—20c Slipper Veils, special.....15c  
—15c Children's garters, special.....10c  
—15c Folding coat hangers.....10c