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# MOTORCYCLISTS WILL OWN CITY NEXT WEEK

Indianapolis to Be Crowded  
By Riders from All Parts  
of the United States

## INDIANA CLUB TO BE HOST

Annual Convention of F. A. M. and a  
Series of National Races Com-  
prise Program.

When President Charles Wyatt, of the Indiana Motorcycle Club, shook hands with G. H. Hamilton, yesterday, as Hamilton was leaving in the official Overland car for Cleveland, to take charge of the national endurance run, he practically started what promises to be the greatest meeting of motorcyclists in this country to date. Wyatt, who has been working day and night to make this national event a success in behalf of the club, and a meeting that Indianapolis would be proud of, has issued the following statement for publication:

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### The Program.

On Monday the delegates will begin to arrive in Indianapolis. On Tuesday the national endurance run will be started at Cleveland, for Indianapolis, being escorted by the official Overland car, in which will be G. H. Hamilton, chairman of the endurance committee; President Earl L. Kyngton, of the F. A. M., and other F. A. M. officials. This endurance run, lasting two days and terminating in Indianapolis, will be what it is termed—an endurance run—as the route and schedule laid out for the entrants to follow is anything but a joy ride. The Overland press car, carrying the representatives of the newspapers, will also make the run.

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