

WOMEN ORGANIZE CLUB TO EXPLOIT WONDERS OF CRATER

To the Editor:

It may be of some interest to your good people to know the enthusiasm of us visitors for the very generous hospitality extended had not subsided after the last vestige of beautiful Medford faded in the distance. With blistered faces and throats husky with dust we women assembled in the observation car and before Roseburg had been reached a real boosters club had been organized to be known as "The Women's Crater Lake Publicity Club." In the article drawn and signed by all women present it set forth the fact that we believe Crater Lake to be the greatest and most wonderful asset of scenic grandeur within the limit of Oregon's boundaries, and that along with the many natural and cultivated resources of which we give much publicity that there is endless commercial reciprocity in forest travel.

Along with our Crater Lake boosting will be Linn Park—your splendid highway with their scenic beauties and the side trips enroute to Crater Lake. A board of directors will devise plans by which we can assist the citizens of Jackson county in its exploitation of its scenic and geological wonders.

Our club will have its first annual meeting at Pendleton during the State Editorial association convention next summer.

Officers: President, Edyth Tozier Weatherred, of Portland; secretary, Mrs. Clara E. Hurd, Corvallis; the vice presidents consist of one woman from each county in Oregon, of which quite a number were selected. Mrs. Mary E. Jessup of Bremerton, Wash., was named a vice president at large.

A meeting will be held at Corvallis within a few days and the work of the club will be systematically launched. All women will be eligible who have visited Crater Lake—a small membership fee will be charged for yearly dues, as we intend to have attractive stationery as well as reading matter that can be sent as a postal or in a letter.

We women not only feel that this organized plan of exploiting Oregon's scenic grandeur will be of value to our state but its first motive was to strive in some way to reciprocate to the men and women of Jackson county for their entertainment to the Oregon Press association which far exceeded any previous attempt by other localities in the history of the association. Time can never efface the glorious visions and kindly personalities, and down through the years to come memory will still sing sweet refrains of dear old Jackson county.

Yours with a heart full of appreciation,
EDYTH TOZIER WEATHERRED.
Salem, Aug. 9.

NOTICE K. OF P.

Be at the K. P. hall tonight at 7:30. Important business. C.C.

CRATER LAKE INN HAS GOOD BUSINESS DURING SEASON

The Crater Lake lodge is enjoying big patronage despite the fact that the season opened late. The smallest number registered so far this year was 42 and there were 104 at the lodge the night before the editors were there. Some of the prominent people at the lake this year have been R. L. Hodges, former owner of the St. Louis ball team, accompanied by his wife and son; John C. Hill of Chicago, hotel inspector in national parks; R. B. Marshall, of Washington, D. C., superintendent of national parks; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Strahorn of Portland, railroad builder; C. Lombardie, president of the Dallas-Galveston Pub. Co., accompanied by wife and son; Mr. Selis of Washington, D. C., Indian commissioner; F. H. Green, city chemist of San Francisco; H. E. Noble and Preston Holton, Portland bankers; Peck Judah and Mr. Weston, tourist agents also Mrs. Weston and son. This party made the largest fish catch on any one day this year, 11 trout. Other visitors were Col. Chas. Moran of New York; Chas. Hamilton of Waco, Texas; R. M. Cox, Reno, Nevada, all prominent railroad men; Vice-President McCormick and General Passenger Agent Scott of the Southern Pacific.

There will be an excursion from Reno, Nevada to the lake in the near future. They go by train to Lakeview and then by auto.

The new road from the entrance of the national forest reserve to Steels camp was opened this year, which makes about 45 miles of road completed by the government in the national forest and the park.

The Parkhurst company has put three new power boats on Crater lake this year and have added several portable motors to the rowboats.

A special train comes from California the last of this week with excursionists for the lake. All the supplies at the lake are hauled by auto from Kirk. Perry Ashcraft drives the stage and makes a round trip every other day.

A. H. Parkhurst, president of the company and H. C. Tuller, manager of the lodge do all they possibly can for the comfort of the guests.

ARMY DESERTER TRACED BY STRING OF BAD CHECKS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—A man hunt that has lasted for more than a year came to an end when Albert Hadley wanted in San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland and other Pacific coast cities for passing fictitious checks, was arrested in Petersburg, Ill.

According to the police Hadley left behind him a trail of bad checks aggregating more than \$10,000. He is also wanted by the United States army authorities as a deserter and by the authorities of Hoquiam, Wash., according to the San Francisco police for deserting his 18 year old wife.

WHEAT DECLINES HALF CENT BUT FLOUR IS RAISED

CHICAGO, Aug. 10.—Caution seemed to be the watchword today among wheat speculators, and there was a return to something like normal conditions greatly in contrast with yesterday's feverish excitement and skyrocket course of prices. Opening quotations today ranged from half cent decline to an advance of 2 cents, the latter confined to the May option, with September at \$1.43 to \$1.44 and December at \$1.48 to \$1.48½.

Many traders inclined to the view that the advance in prices had sufficiently discounted for the present all the crop damage in sight.

The outcome of today's session was a net decline of 1-8 to 7-8, with September finishing at \$1.44 to \$1.44 3-8, and December at \$1.47½.

Sharp advances in the price of flour were announced today as a result of yesterday's upturn in the value of wheat. Altogether, the rise in flour the past two months has been about \$2 a barrel.

TALENT PACKING HOUSE DESTROYED

The packing plant of the Talent Orchard company at Talent, was destroyed last night by fire of unknown origin. The loss is about \$2000, partially covered by insurance.

In addition to the building which was a total loss, two days pack of Bartlett's, a cation of box material and a quantity of fruit wrapping paper were destroyed. Fire apparatus at hand was unable to cope with the flames, which, when discovered had enveloped the building. The blaze was plainly visible from Medford. The loss falls particularly heavy on the company as the supplies in the building were counted on to handle the pack of the season.

STANDPATTERNS OBJECT TO HELPING HIRAM TO SENATE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 10.—Although Francis V. Keesling, chairman of the republican state central committee, asserted tonight that the question of the selection of a chairman for the Hughes meeting here next week had been settled, the controversy stirred up by Chester P. Rowell, progressive leader continued. Keesling, in his statement, did not disclose the nature of the settlement.

Rowell, who as a member of the national republican campaign committee made official complaint last night to William R. Wilcox, chairman of the committee, that the republican state committee, in refusing to permit participation of progressives in the Hughes meeting was disloyal to the republican presidential candidate

made public Wilcox's answer. Wilcox agreed with Keesling that the state committee should have charge of arrangements for the meeting but made a plea for cooperation between progressives and republicans. Re-

garding a suggestion that had been made by Rowell to the state committee to have Governor Hiram W. Johnson preside at the meeting and introduce Hughes, Wilcox expressed the opinion that no effort should be

made to use Hughes' visit to further the candidacy of "any man for United States senator or any other office." Replying to Wilcox tonight, Rowell disclaimed any intention of using Hughes' visit to boost Governor

Johnson's candidacy for the senate. He also sent a communication to the republican state committee making another appeal for progressive representation on the "welcome to Hughes" committee.

This Timely Midsummer Event Brings Wanted Summer Merchandise at Unusually Attractive Prices

We told you the reason for this special event—to impress upon you the helpfulness of the store during every month of the year. In a great many cases certain merchandise is on sale at special prices that we cannot duplicate for the same costs. In a great many other cases the goods on sale at special prices are such merchandise that are in immediate demand and which you probably intend to purchase at this very time. The event is particularly opportune to those who are planning "last-minute" vacations or trips to the seashore, mountains or country... Under no circumstances make any purchases of Summer Goods until after you have visited the store and noted the Hot Weather Sale items.

FASHION'S LAST WORD WILL BE FOUND IN THE FASHION BOOK FOR FALL.

Are you the sort of person who likes frilly, fluffy clothes, or do you prefer the simple tailored effects? It doesn't matter, what your type, you will be smartly and correctly gowned if you make your clothes by

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Possibly that is one of the very best reasons why we are doing so big a waist business. When it comes to the question of the value in a waist, particularly when the price is from \$2 up, it's a very difficult matter to determine whether the waist is worth 50c, or a dollar more than its marked price. The reputation of the store is the strongest factor in influencing you to make a purchase—aside from the style which you prefer.

HANDBAGS: The Accepted Fashionable Shapes.

Possibly you've gotten together everything for your trip but—a handbag. Will you want to be attired in your pretty Summer frocks and not have a proper, new, fashionably shaped handbag to complete the costume? What is more, handbags are appropriate in style and really a necessity. A woman is lost without one. The range of shapes is broad enough for you to choose with ease. To provide added interest many are lower priced for this showing.

An Advance Word About the New Fall Millinery

Our buyers are now in the markets making careful selection of the approved fashions in early Fall Millinery. They write us that they could make an immediate shipment of some styles, but prefer to wait a few days longer and secure the styles that will be worn during the entire season. So this advance word is to acquaint you with our preparations and to advise that prompt announcement will be made just as soon as the first shipment arrives by express.

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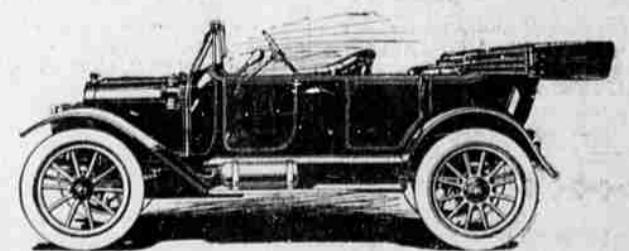
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