

# ASHLAND ACTS TO STIMULATE WINTER SISKIYOU TRAVEL

ASHLAND, Aug. 27.—Seeking to stimulate winter tourist travel over the Siskiyou mountains, the local chamber of commerce sent representatives north as far as Roseburg on Friday to confer with hotel men and civic bodies in the towns to the north, and asking their cooperation in directing a larger percentage of southbound travel over the Pacific highway. The local committee was composed of H. L. Claycomb, Lew Hanson, Fred Taylor and E. G. Ingham, who report an interested hearing by the northern towns. It developed in the discussion at Roseburg that there is a lack of accurate information in regard to the condition of the highway over the mountains and that the opinion prevails that there is difficulty in crossing during the height of the winter season. That belief is a holdover from the old days of dirt roads. Since the construction of the highway, it has been possible at all times to keep the highway in fine condition, and the interest of the scenic route is greatly increased by the fall of snow during the winter months. The Ashland committee assured the conference that the Ashland chamber of commerce will issue a bulletin twice each week giving full and accurate information of the condition of the road. Secretary Hartman of the chamber of commerce will leave soon for the north to visit each tourist camp to arouse further interest in directing the flood of winter travel from Oregon and Washington as well as British Columbia over the highway.

The movement to erect a signboard at the Klamath Junction to direct Crater Lake travel through the Rogue River valley has met with hearty support from Ashland business men. It is planned to have the sign of large dimensions, possibly 30 feet by 15 feet, in order to give ample room for advertising the fact that the Ashland route is shorter and more direct. The sign will be made in Ashland, at a cost of approximately \$200.

Girls from the Ashland senior Campfire camp, which has been in session for the past ten days at the Lake of the Woods, returned to Ashland Sunday evening, brown as berries and better in every way for the splendid outing and the fine training offered by the camp. The girls were enthusiastic over the work of the fine corps of guardians who directed their activities. Messrs. V. O. N. Smith, W. M. Wright, H. A. Stearns and Dr. C. W. Hanson left Ashland early Sunday to take out the junior girls who are entering the camp for one week and to bring home the seniors. On Saturday afternoon, H. C. Bodens made the trip to the lake with one of his large trucks to carry out the bedding and supplies for the second camp.



Mrs. Nellie Lounis returned Saturday to her home on the Boulevard, after an absence of two weeks in Ashland, started north about two weeks ago to spend a vacation period at Seaside and Astoria. When they reached Astoria, however, Mrs. Caldwell was stricken with acute attack of appendicitis and had to be rushed to the operating table. She has convalesced well and has been brought to her home at Eugene.

Mrs. Angie Engle has joined her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Engle, who are spending their vacation at the Lake of the Woods.

Miss Lella Ludwick of Grants Pass, a former student at the Southern Oregon Normal, spent the week end in Ashland, visiting her sister, who has been a student at the normal during the summer session.

Mrs. Edward Thornton entertained informally on Saturday afternoon for her sister, Miss Alice Huntly of Portland, who has been visiting here for several days. The afternoon was spent in hand work and in a friendly visit. Those who met Miss Huntly were Mrs. Sam McNaile, Mrs. Will M. Dodge and Mrs. Cliff Jenkins.

Miss Lila Ludwick is engaged to teach at Kirby in Josephine county during the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Will M. Dodge left for Portland Sunday evening on a short business trip.

Mrs. Harriet Fielding spent the week end visiting friends in Grants Pass.

Mrs. Fannie Keller has returned from a short visit to her sister at Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Shelton and two children, Lorraine and Walter, left by automobile on Saturday for Washington. They will make their home about seven miles due west of Spokane, Wash., where Mr. Shelton has been engaged to superintend a consolidated grade and junior high school. Miss Lorraine, who graduated last May from the Ashland high school, will enter the Cheney Normal school.

Moreland Smith and Bernard Joy spent Sunday at the Lake of the Woods.

Mrs. Fred S. Engle, who came in from the Lake of the Woods late in the week to attend to some errands in town, returned to the lake on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Thornton expect to leave for the north on Tuesday. They will stop at Eugene to pick up Mrs. Thornton's sister, Miss Alice Huntly, who will leave Ashland on Monday, and the three will journey together to Portland, where Mrs. Thornton will remain for a week with her sister while Mr. Thornton will attend the Elks' convention.

Miss Helen Anderson, dean of women at the Southern Oregon Normal school, spent Sunday visiting friends in Medford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCoy, their two daughters Margaret and Frances, and their guest, Miss Frances Pratt, have returned from a very enjoyable vacation visit to San Francisco and neighboring cities.

Mrs. A. Cadamo and her two children, who have spent the past three weeks in Ashland, have returned to their home at Mt. Shasta City. Cal. Mrs. Cadamo is a daughter of H. C. Homes and has taken charge of their father's grocery while Mr. and Mrs. Homes took a vacation in the northern part of the state.

Charles Webster Chaffin, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chaffin on Hargadine street, arrived in Ashland Saturday morning to attend the golden wedding celebration of his grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose on Fairview street.

## CONVINCED PLANE AND SEVEN SOULS PERISH IN DROP

SEATTLE, Aug. 28.—(AP)—Seven persons, instead of six previously reported, apparently were carried to their death when the Victoria-Seattle monoplane vanished Saturday in the upper waters of Puget Sound.

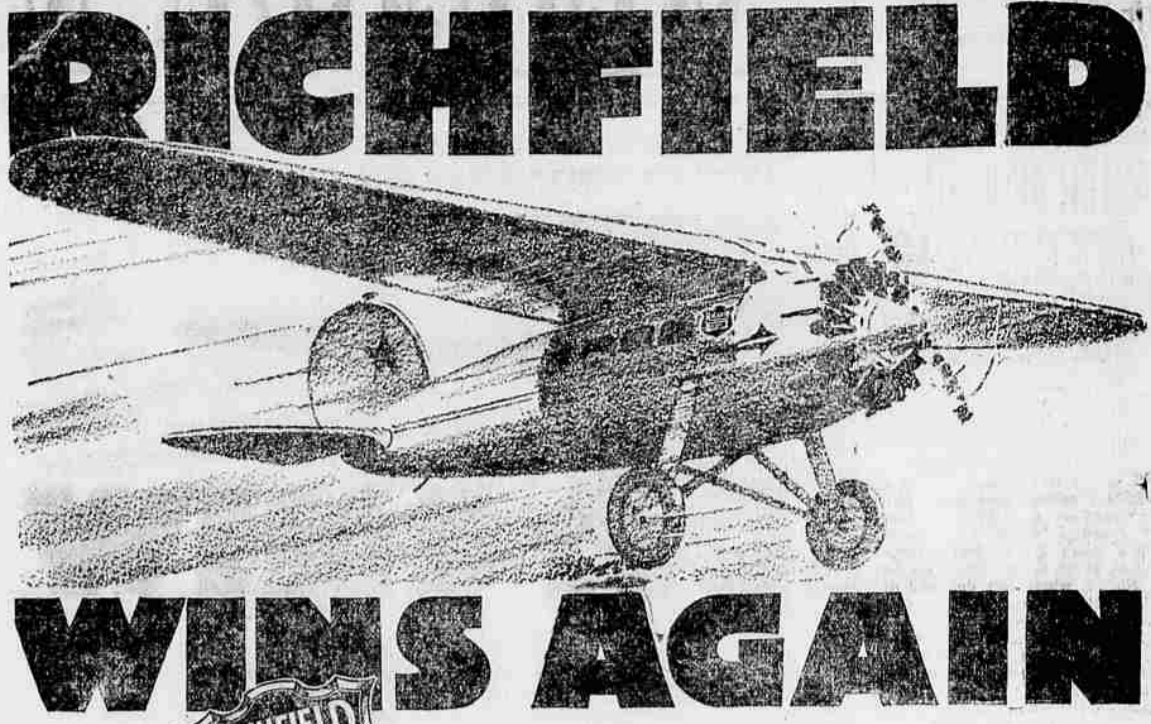
Advices from Vancouver, B. C., last night said that F. D. Sevel, East Orange, N. J., had purchased a ticket to Seattle Saturday morning. As the plane was making ready to take off for Victoria, a passenger made a last minute boarding and air service officials are convinced now that the man was Sevel.

Search for the plane lagged yesterday as the conviction grew among aviators who had been hunting for 48 hours that the ship had plunged into the sound. Practically every square mile of land on which the plane might have crashed had been covered.

One of the searching planes nosedived into an emergency field near Washington Harbor yesterday and the propeller was smashed. Neither Lieutenant Reginald Bollos of the army air service, who piloted the plane, nor his companion Ensign Robert Ellis of the naval air reserve, was hurt.

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NEW YORK, Aug. 28.—(AP)—The passenger steamer Chester W. Chapin of the New England Steamship company, rained and smacked a tug today in Hell Gate off Dimars Cove, Astoria. A fireman on the tug was reported missing. The other ten of the tug crew were rescued.



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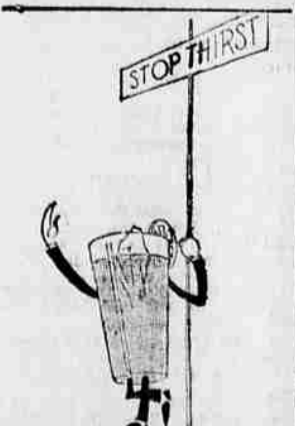
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## SCOT ACQUITTAL BRINGS OVATION

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The accused was carried shoulder high on leaving court. She had testified that her husband was wild when intoxicated and that he had come home drunk. He demanded a meal when she had no food in the house for her four children. He threatened her and broke a chair, whereupon she struck him with a knife. He died on the way to a hospital.



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