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MANY PARTIES VISIT CRATER LAKE PARK

Some idea of the number of people who have visited Crater Lake National Park this season was given out this morning by Chief Ranger H. E. Momyer, when he stated that 9,860 tourists have seen the scenic spot up to August 12th. Mr. Momyer arrived in town last night, and will remain throughout the convention period.
Autos in the number of 2,487 have made the trip to the park during a similar period. The two biggest days recorded this year were on August 10th and August 11th. Five hundred and forty people traveled to the park and 120 autos were registered at Wild Cat station on the former day. During the visit of the National Editorial Association, on August 11th, 518 people and 118 machines were listed in the park registry.

Today's Anniversaries

- 1844—The Arabs from Morocco, under Abd-el-Kader, were decisively defeated by the French at battle of Isly.
- 1848—Oregon Territory was organized by act of Congress.
- 1891—Many notables attended the funeral of James Russell Lowell at Cambridge, Mass.
- 1893—A Volcanic eruption occurred on the summit of Cape Harrison, Labrador.
- 1904—Turkey consented to give American schools equal rights with those of other powers.
- 1914—The French invaded German Lorraine.
- 1915—British transport Royal Edward torpedoed in Aegean Sea with loss of 1,000 lives.
- 1916—Russians continued great drive by Austro-Germans in Eastern Galicia.
- 1917—China declared war against Germany and Austro-Hungary.

One Year Ago Today in the War

- Allies made gains at both ends of Somme Salient.
- Schoone Drorothy Barrett attacked by German U-boat near Cape N. Y. N. J.
- President Wilson ordered registration of all men who had reached 21 since June 5.
- Congressman Gallivan of Massachusetts says that certain members of the House have stored up enough liquor to last them and their friends for twenty years.

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PEP SAYS HELLO TO STATE BILLS

George O. Brandenburg, Chairman of the Pep Committee, Sends Peppery Epistle to Bills From Klamath Falls.

Dear Bill—Well, Bill, Old Skout, here we are in old Klamath Falls, which please Bert Hall says is the metropolis of the State of Oregon. I think Bert ment Klamath County, but then, he bein' in the hotel bizness, it is only nacherul that he shoold boost for his hoam towne. I used to no Bert when he pedaled reel estate, and I am ded next to the line of fertilizer he deals out, Bill. Anyhow, Billous, it is a good old towne, so let it go at that. I new Klamath Falls when it 1st went dry, Bill, and as I remember it it was the wettest plase north of Doris, which ain't a girl, but is a towne across the line in Cal.

Well, Bill, as I was goin' to say, we had a grand trip down from Portland. Our train left rite on time—tha tis, somebody's time, not ours. But as long as we got hear what's the differense. The deer brothers was all so happy, Bill, it would have made you reel thirsty to sea them. Klaid Jones, that big longshoorman who wears Frank Hennessy's clothes and leads the band, was so overcum with happiness that he had to go into seklusion for quite a while.

EXALTED RULER OF PENDLETON LODGE



L. D. Drake

There was lots of other brothers that was feelin' the same way, Bill, but as most of them is married and left their wives at hoam I guess I had better not say anything about them. Bill McGinn, the little mick who looks like a feller I seen go into a sinnygogue once, was 1 of the bizziest guys on the train. They say he is hooping that the u. s. railway administration will take notice of the wax he handled the train, but Kap Kubli says as how he doant konsider that Bill is compyent to propell a handcar. Ben Norden, our Admiral, who is also our leedin' night in the lodge, was a happy bird, Bill, so happy that he tried to danse with a niggerwoman when we stopped at Roseburg. Ben haint got used to terry army yet, I guess.

Harry Allen was roamin' up and down the isles of the train, too, but Mrs. Harry was generally follerin' close behind, so Harry was evidently well under controal. Harry is the feller whom we hope to elect the next prezident.

We are feelin' kinda swelled up on this trip, Bill, 'cause we has Charley Bradley, our Grand Esteemed Leckshurin' Night, with us. And say, Bill, Charley acted up just like a 4 yr. old, too. His fase was so red and it was all he could do to stay in the isle of the car. I gess

LECTURING KNIGHT OF MEDFORD LODGE



N. S. Bennett of 1168



Local Elk Lodge Headquarters where Sessions will be held

EXALTED RULER OF LOCAL LODGE 1247



This is C. H. Underwood, Exalted Ruler of the Klamath Falls Lodge. He's the busiest man in town, and has been so for the past few months. If you have any troubles take them to C. H. Underwood. When not busy with things connected with Elkdom you can find him at Underwood's drug store on Main street.

BEND EATS HEARTILY BUT SLEEPS LITTLE IN HER TENT HOME

"Bend's Baby Lodge"—that's the banner that greets you eve directly back of the Elks lodges on Main street, where the Bend lodge has "the show" for the convention period. Close to 150 five wire Elks are resting their heads occasionally on their "hay" beds under canvas roofs. So particular were the Bend boys for their welfare during the three-day session that they brought their cook along and are eating as they never did before.

First call is sounded—well most anytime along in the morning. And taps—rumor has it that the bugler is apt to have a conflict with his call so early in the morning have some of the "Bills" been com'g in.

The Bend boys come from the youngest, yet the liveliest lodge in the state. Although they have been established but a short time their membership is approaching 200. The territory included was formerly within the jurisdiction of the Dale's lodge, and embraces Deschutes, Crook, Jefferson and Lake counties.

Lodge officers are: E. P. Mahaffey, Exalted Ruler; W. C. Cooper, Esteemed Leading Knight; Dr. J. F. Turner, Esteemed Loyal Knight; Judge T. E. Duffy, Esteemed Lecturing Knight; J. H. Haner, Secretary; W. C. Birdsall, treasurer; F. A. Lilly, Inner Guard; J. Charles Smith, Master; E. J. Basso, Esquire; Wilson

One of McMinnville's Enthusiastic Elks



Dr. H. L. Toney of McMinnville is Past Exalted Ruler of his home lodge in McMinnville 1283. He is one of the prominent Elks of the state and holds the office of District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler for Western Oregon. He stands high in his home community, and served one term as mayor of McMinnville. He recently returned from the Grand Lodge session at Atlantic City. He is a dentist by profession.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bickle are here from Roseburg, with the rest of their fellow Elks and Elkesses.

THIRTY-TWO MEMBERS FROM McMINNVILLE HERE FOR BIG TIME

Seven hundred and forty-six loyal "Bills" are members of the McMinnville lodge, which is known in Elkdom as 1283. "Popped" is the dominant thing in the make-up of the lodge that has sent 32 of its members to the big convention. Soon they will add 30 new members to their rapidly growing council. Harvest days kept several of their members away who simply couldn't leave their threshing machines to come with the "Best People on Earth" to Klamath Falls.

The complete roster of the McMinnville delegates that are here for the big convention is as follows:

- Dr. W. J. Wisecarver, J. G. Baker, L. C. Thompson, Dr. G. S. Wright, W. C. Campbell, Ralph Wortman, P. F. Holdredge, J. M. Crawford, S. B. White, R. O. Frey, W. T. Vinton, M. S. Taylor, E. Corbett and wife, Dr. H. L. Toney, Dr. J. A. Hayville and wife, J. E. Loon and wife, W. L. Hembree, C. M. Brigham, Dr. J. H. Cook, M. J. Regan, A. M. Fenning, D. A. Doty, W. A. Doty, Earl Shultz, E. P. Casey and wife, R. P. Morrifield, W. F. Eberhard and wife, Stanley Fletcher, H. A. Graves, G. W. Henderson, Jack Suenca, D. W. Feely.

BELONGS TO 1283



Walter L. Hembree is another member of the McMinnville Lodge who takes great interest in the work of the order. He is postmaster in the Yamhill county seat town, and stands ace high in democratic circles.

PROPOSED NEW HOME OF HEPPNER LODGE



Beautiful Building to be built this year

MARDI GRAS ON FOR SATURDAY

Big Street Celebration Will Be Staged Saturday Evening as a Wind-Up to the Festivities of the Convention.

Klamath Falls and its visitors will participate in a miniature Mardi Gras on Saturday night. The celebration will be patterned after the famous celebration held in New Orleans each year. Several blocks in front of the Elks temple will be roped off, the street waxed for dancing and within this inclosure fun galore will reign until the wee hours of the morning.

Perhaps no single amusement feature of the convention is looked forward to as keenly as the big Saturday night festival. To insure its success, the executive committee retained Philip Polsky to handle the feature. Mr. Polsky is known far and wide as a producer of street amusements, having been connected with features of this kind with the Portland Rose Festival, the Tournament of Roses in Pasadena, California and also handled features with the original Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

Under the decree issued by "Pep" himself, whose aim in life seems to be nothing but conveying pleasure to

PAST EXALTED HEAD OF LODGE NUMBER 283



Roy Ritner

his brother "Bills" dancers may be masked or unmasked as they see fit. Confetti battles will be in progress thruout the evening, he says, and in addition the famous battle of ribbons between the festive crowd will be staged during the evening.

The "Big 'ol Jazz orchestras" will be on deck to furnish music for the dancers, with the music continuing until everyone has had their fill of fun.

It is this celebration that will close what promises to be one of the most successful state conventions ever held within the confines of Oregon. Everything has been placed in readiness to allow the convention to end in a veritable blaze of glory, and pure unadulterated fun.

If you're looking for an Elk on Saturday night just step down to the Mardi Gras, because that's where they will all be.

He Comes From Lodge 1283 at McMinnville



L. C. Thompson is familiarly known as "Lou," and has the distinction of being the only life member of McMinnville Lodge No. 1283. He has been generous in his gifts to the lodge, and presented to the McMinnville Lodge a fine mounted oil which graces the reception room. Lou is active in the work of the order, and is decidedly popular among the membership. He is a farmer by occupation, and has built up a reputation as a fisherman, for he has whipped nearly all the streams of the Oregon country with remarkable success.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tucker are convention visitors from Astoria.

Mrs. J. W. Norin, who is well known here, is in town for the convention from Lakeview.