

PARK TO PARK CARAVAN GETS BIG RECEPTION

"It's nice to have you all here and we deeply appreciate the honor," declared Harry N. Burhans of Denver, executive secretary of the tourist and publicity bureau of the Denver commercial association to the Klamath Falls crowd of 35 leading citizens who met the park-to-park publicity tourists Monday night at Crater Lake lodge, "but who the dickens did you leave to run your town in your absence?"

In view of the fact that practically every vocation and profession was represented in the personnel of the Klamath Falls reception committee, there was some ground for the secretary's wonderment.

Because the advance man had fixed the route and arranged the schedule it was impossible for the park-to-park tourists to deviate from their program and visit Klamath Falls.

So Klamath Falls journeyed to Crater Lake to meet them and fraternized and exchanged ideas for several hours, both the local delegation and tourists receiving valuable information and ideas in the general exchange.

E. B. Hall, president of the Klamath reception committee, bombarded the tourists with a broadside of local statistics. He told them of the scenic beauties that attract visitors from all parts of the United States, of the lumber industry, the agricultural development and the million dollar a month payroll.

In return Mr. Burhans outlined the purposes of the park-to-park tour, the beginning, he said, of a publicity program that will result in the next few years of bringing thousands upon thousands more tourists to the west.

"Selling the west to the tourist," through widespread publicity is the keynote of the program. Hand in hand goes road development and increased accommodations to minister to the comfort of tourists who are attracted by the advertising.

Last year, said Burhans, the western states did \$200,000,000 worth of tourist business and the tide has just started to flow this way.

Auto camp grounds, more and better hotel and resort facilities must be built to attract the travelers and the community which is in the forefront with these things is the community which will reap big profits during the next few years.

Burhans told of what Denver had done in the way of camp grounds. The day before the park-to-park caravan left Denver, August 26, there were between five and six thousand people in the camp he said. All conveniences, baths, tents, etc. are provided. To provide for the small city there are stores on the ground. The grocery does a net business of \$500, daily average, and yet Denver downtown stores do not feel the competition and are strong supporters of the camp ground.

Clifford Leavitt, who taught school at Lakeview a dozen years ago, is manager of the park-to-park tour. He spoke of the kindly feeling he had for Klamath and said that the tourists would remember the enthusiastic greeting of the local crowd who traveled 65 miles to meet them and it would count in favor of this city in the future.

The suggested part of southern Oregon in the development of the park-to-park road was that both Klamath Falls and Medford would share the benefits of the tourist travel. Most tourists, it is said, desire to travel a constantly changing route, and, for instance, those who enter the Crater Lake park from the Medford side will wish to leave through Klamath Falls, and vice versa, so that all communities join hands and assist the development of roads and other facilities equally all will profit equally.

The park-to-park caravan left Crater Lake yesterday and were entertained by the chamber of commerce and citizens of Medford last night. The next park to be visited is the Yosemite in California.

The different communities at the Crater Lake meeting Monday night were represented as follows:

Park to Park caravan—Gus Holmes, president of the National

COTTON WAR ON IN SOUTHERN STATES

ATLANTA, Georgia, Oct. 6.—Destruction of several cotton gins and business houses in the cotton belt, after anonymous threats had been received by operators to cease operating the plants while cotton was selling at what many farmers term "prices below the cost of production," has resulted in the placing of armed guards around several gins and the closing down of cotton ginning in at least one community.

The burning of the second gin within two days near Stamford, Texas, was reported last night.

The general merchandise store of Taylor & Barnett at Nanceville, Alabama, was destroyed yesterday after the proprietors had ignored orders to close the establishment until such time as cotton would sell at 40 cents a pound.

HARDING OFF ON BIG TOUR

MARION, Oct. 6.—With his departure today for the middle west Harding begins a speech-making tour that will keep him traveling almost continuously until late in October.

The present trip will carry him through Indiana, Illinois, Nebraska, Missouri and Oklahoma. He will return here Monday and Tuesday, and will leave on a trip through Kentucky, Tennessee, Illinois, Indiana and Missouri.

After covering the middle west, Senator Harding will rest for three days and close his campaign with a trip through the eastern states.

MEETING FRIDAY EVE. AT HENLEY SCHOOL

The Henley Parent Teacher association will hold a community meeting at the Henley school, Friday evening, Oct. 8. A good social time is promised for all. Candidates are especially invited to attend. Lunch will be served free.

Park to Park Highway association, of Cody, Wyoming; Scott Leavitt, treasurer, of Great Falls, Montana; Harry N. Burhans, recording secretary, of Denver; O. Van Wyck, representing National Park service; A. Lucier, representing International Film service; Dan Lee; representing California State Auto association; F. V. Owen, representative Los Angeles chamber of commerce; George Chambers, representative Oregon State Auto association; M. W. Lusk of Cleveland and R. Davis, representing White Auto company; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Shaw, of Shoshone, Idaho; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sanda, Oklahoma, representing American Auto association; Mrs. Stella Leviston, magazine writer.

Klamath Falls delegation—L. J. Shirk, W. A. Delzell, E. B. Hall, E. R. Reames, Mr. Collins, W. S. Wiley, Capt. J. W. Siemens, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Soule, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Newell, Miss McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Moe, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stanley, J. C. Thompson, E. T. Ludden, Asa Fordyce, E. T. Elliott, James Milne, C. T. Darley, C. F. Parker, Herbert Charles, Glen Allen, L. J. Bean, Roy Cochran, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Henry, Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Lamb.

Prospect, the Rogue river resort in Jackson county sent a "large" delegation, consisting of the mayor, postmaster, chamber of commerce, deputy county clerk, fire warden and a few other officials, besides the hotel proprietor, store manager and district school board, all combined in the person of "Jim" Grieve.

Grieve juggled his multiple personalities and offices without friction and as a live wire booster made a big impression on the park to parkers.

Although season closed at Crater Lake recently and the management was expecting no such crowd as they had to handle, the visitors received royal treatment in the way of meals and sleeping accommodations. The hotel management met an emergency situation in most praiseworthy fashion.

SCHOOL MENU PROVIDES WELL FOR CHILDREN

A demonstration that even in these days of high cost of living good meals can be served at very low cost was given yesterday noon to a committee of local newspaper men by the cafeteria management of the Riverside public school. A very fine luncheon was served at which the following were guests: Mrs. Woods, principal of the Riverside school; Mr. Woods, J. Percy Wells, Miss Cole, Miss Drew, Miss Esther McAndrews, Miss Jennie Johnson, Miss Gertrude Parker, Miss Jennings, Miss Demore, Miss Grace Farrand. The newspapers were represented by W. H. Mason of the Record and Paul T. O'Dowd of the Evening Herald.

The repast which was the same as served to the pupils in the cafeteria consisted of tomato salad, meat and gravy sandwiches, fruit salad with whipped cream, cake and coffee. The meals are prepared under the direction of Bertha Frakes and all of the kitchen and dining room work is done by the pupils themselves.

The luncheon guests were entertained by the Boys' Glee club under the direction of Miss Evelyn Applegate, music teacher of the school. The singing of the boys was very much enjoyed by the visitors and Miss Applegate was highly complimented on her work with them.

One of the pleasing features of the affair was the presentation of sweet peas to each of the guests as they entered the dining hall by Clifford Yaden and Richard Hayden, two little fellows of Miss Farrand's class.

During the 16 days in September on which the cafeteria was open 2,296 meals were served to the pupils and teachers at an average cost of 12.5 cents a meal.

After luncheon the visitors were shown through the building by Jay Seeds, the school engineer, and were very favorably impressed by the general cleanliness of the play and lunch rooms, particularly those used by the boys.

HALF MILLION TO STARVING CHINESE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—The American Red Cross today appropriated \$500,000 for the relief of famine sufferers in the Peking, China, district.

BANTAM BOXERS WILL MIX FRIDAY NIGHT

Jimmy Duffy, the slashing little bantam, with a record of wins of which any boxer might feel proud, is in the city and will meet Kid Brown, a local colored battler, in a three-round bout at the Klamath Athletic club smoker Friday night. Duffy never bars any boy of his weight or a few pounds more, and intends to show local fans that he has the goods. Other bouts have been arranged, the smoker being for club members only.

MARKET REPORT

PORTLAND, Oct. 6.—Cattle, steady; hogs higher, \$15.50 and \$16; sheep weak; butter and eggs, firm.

MISSISSIPPI LOSES IN CENSUS SHOWING

WASHINGTON, Oct. 6.—Figures issued by the census bureau show the following state populations: Wisconsin, 2,631,839; increase 297,979 or 12.8 per cent. Oklahoma, 2,027,564; increase 370,409 or 22.4 per cent. South Dakota, 635,839; increase 51,951 or 8.9 per cent. Mississippi, 1,789,182; decrease 7,932 or .4 per cent.

NOTED PUBLICITY EXPERT IS HERE

H. T. Laselle one of the most noted publicity men in the country arrived in Klamath Falls last night. Mr. Laselle comes direct from New York city to conduct the famous Yom Kippur sale for K. Sugarman, which is a yearly event at that store.

BROOKLYN WINS SECOND GAME OF THE SERIES

BROOKLYN, Oct. 6.—Burleigh Grimes fitted a fine coat of white-wash on the backs of the Cleveland Indians and the Brooklyn players walked off the field with a 3 to 0 victory in the second game of the world series today.

Grimes' spitball tied the backs of the Cleveland hitters in knots, while the Brooklyn hitting was consistent and timely, the National leaguers getting their hits in clusters when hits meant runs.

Brooklyn's victory today evens the series, each club now having a game apiece.

Today's batteries were: Cleveland—Bagby, Uhle and O'Neill.

Brooklyn—Grimes and Miller.

Bagby pitched for Cleveland up to the seventh inning when Uhle went into the box.

The line-up follows:

Brooklyn	Cleveland	
Olson	as	Sewell
J. Johnston	3b	Gardner
Griffith	rf	Smith
Wheat	lf	Jamieson
Myers	cf	Speaker
Konetsky	1b	Johnson
Kilduff	2b	Wambagana*
Miller	c	O'Neill
Grimes	p	Bagby, Uhle*

*Burns batted for Wambagana in the eighth inning; Grany batted for Bagby in the 7th; Nunamaker batted for Uhle in the ninth.

PARK INQUIRY STARTS; RESULT STILL PENDING

Captain J. W. Siemens, one of the commission appointed to investigate conditions at the Crater lake hotel, and make recommendations for the improvement of the hotel service, is at home again after having attended two meetings of the commission, one in Salem on Friday, and the other at Crater lake on Monday.

The commission, with A. P. Parkhurst, owner of the hotel, went into the matter very thoroughly, and while nothing definite was decided upon, it is known that a plan to finance improvements were discussed and that when the recommendations of the committee are acted upon, a plan will undoubtedly be devised to raise the money needed for these improvements, probably through subscriptions from interested people throughout this state, and the hotel will be placed upon a basis that will insure absolute freedom from criticism. The interior of the building needs remodeling, more furniture is necessary, and the sewerage and water facilities are far from satisfactory. All this will be remedied.

Mr. Parkhurst built the hotel at a cost of about \$80,000 and his 20-year concession has 10 years more to run. The proposal to remove Mr. Parkhurst evidently did not receive final consideration by the committee, there being more serious obstacles confronting them at the present time. It is possible that he will be permitted to remain in charge.

Among the committeemen present at the meeting were: R. W. Childs, manager of the Portland hotel; Pat Foley, The Dalles; Vern Vawter, Medford; Captain Siemens, Klamath Falls, and S. B. Vincent of the Portland chamber of commerce. Appearing before the committee were: Stephen T. Mather, director of national parks; Scott Leavitt of Great Falls; Captain Sparrow, superintendent of the Crater Lake National park; E. O. McCormick, vice president of the Southern Pacific railroad, and O. Van Wyke, assistant to Mr. Mather.

SUGAR STILL TUMBLING

PORTLAND, Oct. 6.—Sugar dropped today to \$12 a hundredweight, wholesale price.

BIG BEAR INVADES SHIPPINGTON YARD

The dry summer Klamath county has experienced this year is the explanation offered for the Klamath Lumber & Box company's night shift finding a big bear trotting around the yards when they went off shift early Monday morning. At first the men thought the beast some domestic creature until they came closer and the prowler turned and hurried off in the direction of the hills.

It has also been reported that M. M. Obenchain ran onto three big bucks just outside of the city limits on the Fort Klamath road. When this story was told several citizens started out with guns in search of the deer but nothing has been heard of their success.

BEEF CATTLE ARE SHIPPED

The two weeks just passed have witnessed heavy sales of beef cattle in this county, the largest, perhaps, being to J. C. Mitchell of Gaselle, California, who purchased 1,500 head the McAuliffe, Bismore and Miller ranches and others in the Wood river valley.

Dan Ryan sold 200 head of fine steers to Allen & Son of San Francisco, and Miller & Lux bought the Kittridge & Lane and Childers cattle off the Big marsh, a total of \$25 head. Louis Girber of Horroffly, and Brattain Bros. of Paisley sold 1,100 head to the Edwin Foulke company of Gaselle.

Klamath county cattle this year are in exceptionally fine condition. Good steers are bringing 8 cents a pound, and dry cows are bringing 6 cents.

FURNITURE DEALER HOME WITH BRIDE

Without imparting advance information to his friends here, J. T. Perkins, of the Perkins Furniture company, returned home yesterday after an absence of two weeks, bringing with him a bride to whom he was married in Vancouver, Washington, on September 21, the ceremony being performed by the Reverend W. S. Swartz of the Baptist church.

Mrs. Perkins formerly was Miss Lena Pearson, of Portland, and the marriage is the result of an acquaintance begun in Portland months ago. After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins motored to Pendleton, where they saw the big round-up. Leaving Pendleton they drove to Walla Walla, Washington, and then back to coast points and into California for a short distance. Returning, the honeymooners encountered impassable muddy roads near Drain and, leaving their car there for repairs they completed their homeward trip by train. Altogether, Mr. and Mrs. Perkins had a very enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins are residing at the White Pelican hotel, but expect to occupy a home of their own within a short time.

FOOTBALL PLAYER SPRAINS ANKLE

Paul Kellar, right guard on the Klamath Falls high school team, sprained his ankle during the first scrimmage in yesterday's practice, and will not be able to use the foot for two or three days. It is not expected that the sprain will keep him out of next Saturday's game, but the coach is taking no chances, and Paul has instructions to "behave himself" until danger of serious results has passed.

SEXTON'S NOMINATION PETITION IS FILED

Frank B. Sexton yesterday filed his nomination petition for the office of county clerk. Mr. Sexton was recently induced to make the race against C. R. De Lap, incumbent, at the request of the Good Government league.

WEATHER REPORT

OREGON—Tonight and Thursday, rain.

COUNTY COURT ENJOINED FROM ROAD BOND USE

Further use of the \$347,000 road bond issue, voted June 3, 1919, in construction of highways between Klamath Falls and the California line was enjoined yesterday by Judge D. V. Kuykendall in the circuit court, on petition of J. H. Carnahan, attorney for Mrs. Sophia Henley, who several months ago began suit to prevent construction of the highway across her land in the Henley district.

Because the section from Klamath Falls to the California line is a so-called "federal aid post road," the petitioner claims that the use of any part of the bond fund in its construction is a violation of the act of 1913 under which the bond issue was voted.

The section, numbered 13, Chapter 103 of the general laws of Oregon, 1913 session, provides:

"All moneys raised under the provisions of this act shall be used in constructing permanent public roads in that county, which roads shall be constructed by the county court under its exclusive jurisdiction, and such expert assistants as they may employ."

The present county court has no exclusive jurisdiction over the road in question, according to plaintiff's theory. The road is being built jointly by the county, state and federal government, under the supervision of the state highway commission. The county court furnished, or attempted to furnish, rights of way and a quarter of cost of construction, but the road is under jurisdiction of the state highway commission who alone entered into a contract with Oskar Huber for its completion.

Defendants in the suit are County Judge Bunnell, Commissioners Short and Fordyce, Klamath county, Oskar Huber, contractor, and subcontractors, the state highway commission, governor, secretary of state, state and county treasurers and others.

The county court is also specifically enjoined from carrying out the plan to loan the state highway commission some of the county bond fund, now in local banks—proposal for which was made at the Portland conference of the county court and highway commission last week.

The injunction order says: "And you are further restrained and enjoined from advancing any of the funds, derived from the sale of said bonds, to the state of Oregon or the state highway commission, or to any other person or party, with any understanding or agreement that the same shall be repaid to Klamath county at a later date."

Roads other than federal post roads, forest roads and other roads which are built on a co-operative plan in which the federal government bears half the cost, will not be interfered with. Mr. Carnahan said today that the attack is being made in the interest of his client in the valley south of here, and only applies to that section as far as he knows. The road north of Bartlett Springs or the Klamath Falls-Ashland road will not be affected, he said.

MISSIONARY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the Christian church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. H. C. McKim, 1429 Crescent Avenue. Members are requested to be present, visitors are welcome.

POLES AND "REDS" TO SIGN FRIDAY

RIGA, Oct. 6.—The armistice between soviet Russia and Poland and a preliminary peace treaty will be signed October 8, according to a Polish official statement received. The statement adds that Lithuanian troops are fighting along side of the bolshevik troops.

PARIS, Oct. 6.—Warsaw and Moscow dispatches announce that the armistice between soviet Russia and Poland has been signed.