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Happy Thanksgiving



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Next Meeting – November 20, 2010

At Russellville Grange – 12105 NE Prescott Street

10 am to 3:30 pm

Annual Meeting – Election of Officers for 2011

Jerry Kelly to give "What is it?" Presentation



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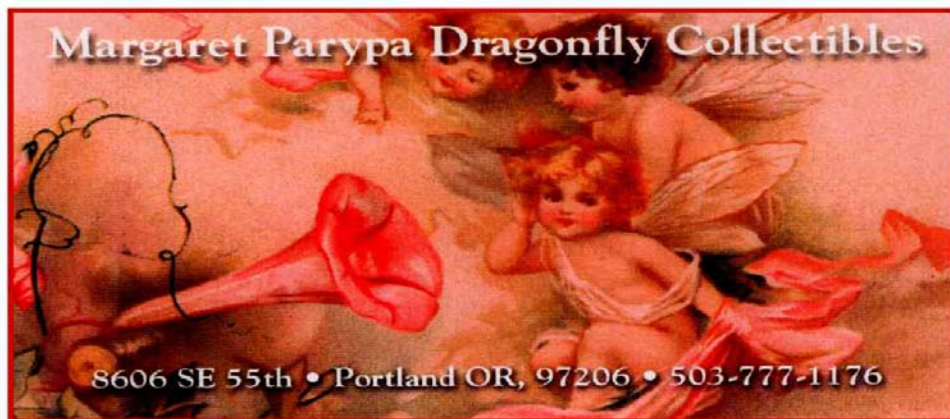
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Annual Meeting Scheduled November 20, 2010: Every year in November, we hold our annual elections for officers for the coming year. The current slate of officers has agreed to continue in their positions. At our November meeting, Jerry Kelly will give his popular "What is it? Presentation". Using artifacts, he will demonstrate how our thinking and history is related to our upbringing and surroundings. At our December 18th meeting, we will have our annual Indoor Christmas Picnic. Ham and beverages provided. Bring a dessert or side dish.

SALEM COIN - STAMP & POST CARD SHOW

**OREGON STATE FAIRGROUNDS
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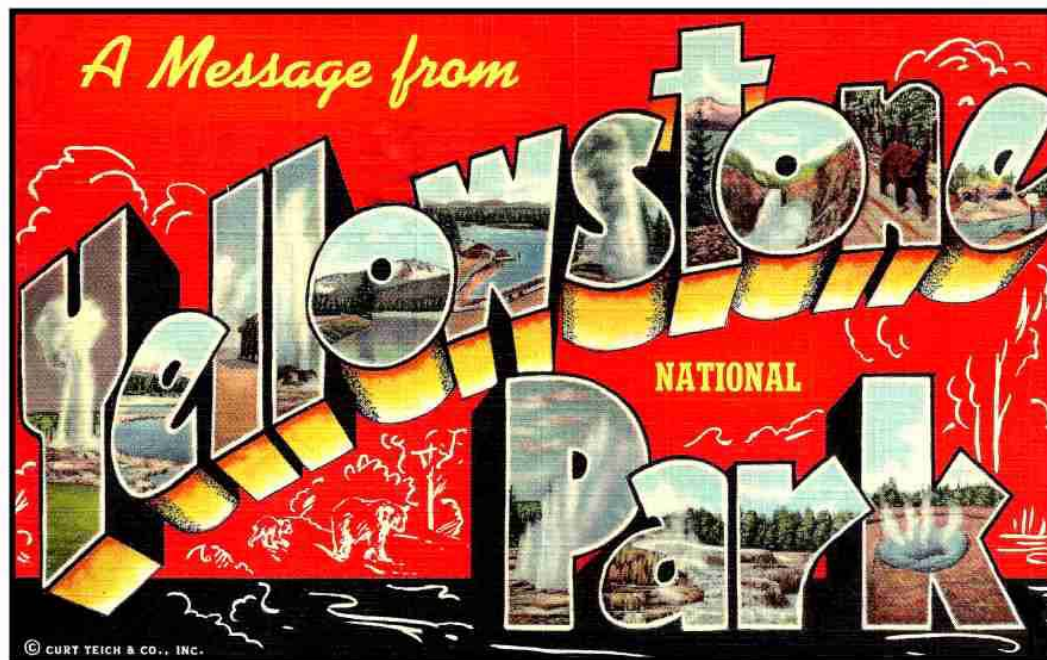
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YELLOWSTONE—AMERICA'S FIRST PARK



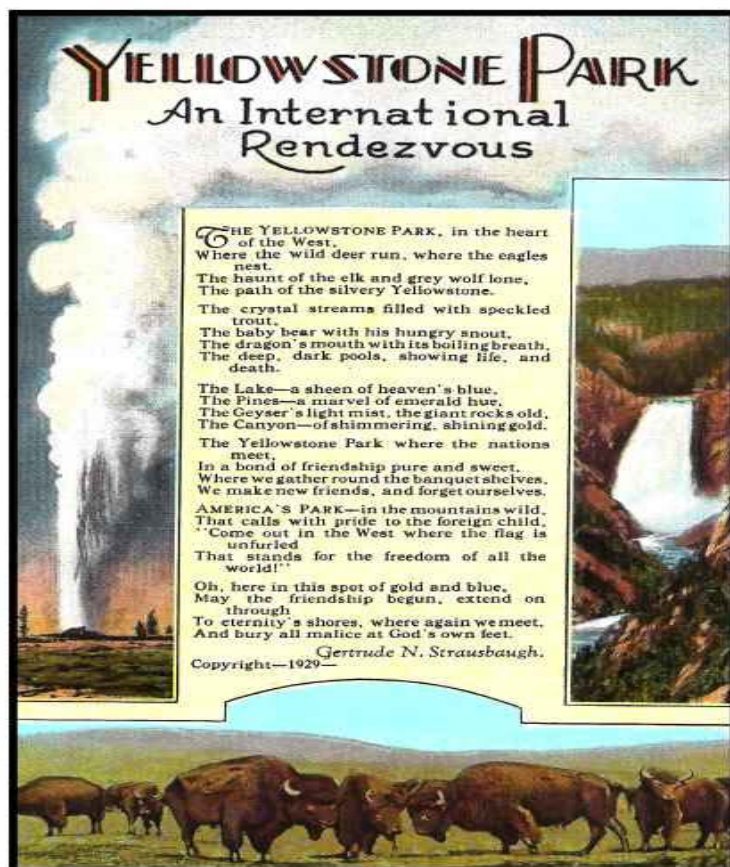
Yellowstone Park was discovered in December 1807 by Mountain Man John Colter. The 3400-square mile park was designated America's first "National Park" on March 1, 1872 when President Ulysses S. Grant signed the Yellowstone National Park Bill, proclaiming that the park was "set aside for all the people". The park touches three states: Wyoming, Montana and Idaho.



Ulysses S. Grant



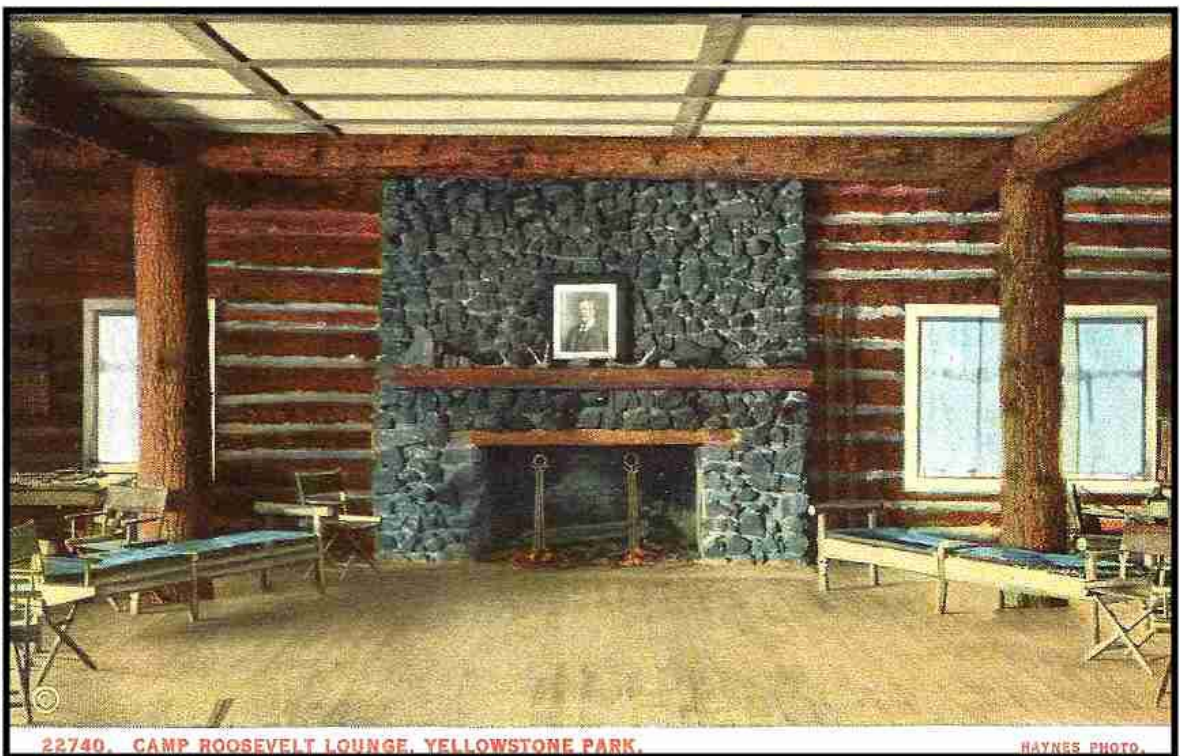
Teddy Roosevelt



N.R. Langford was appointed the first Park Superintendent at Yellowstone. He received no pay or salary and no funds were designated for operation of the Park. Poachers and renegade Indians proved to be a problem and the U.S. Army was called in to restore order. In 1917, the newly formed National Park Service took control.



President Teddy Roosevelt visited Yellowstone frequently and he was one of the Park's biggest promoters. He dedicated the Northern Entrance Arch in 1902. Roosevelt Lodge at Tower Falls was one of his favorite spots.





Photographer Jay Haynes of St. Paul, Minnesota became the official photographer for Yellowstone Park and he set up souvenir shops throughout the Park.



In the days before autos and buses, visitors to Yellowstone came by train and they traveled throughout the Park on stagecoaches.



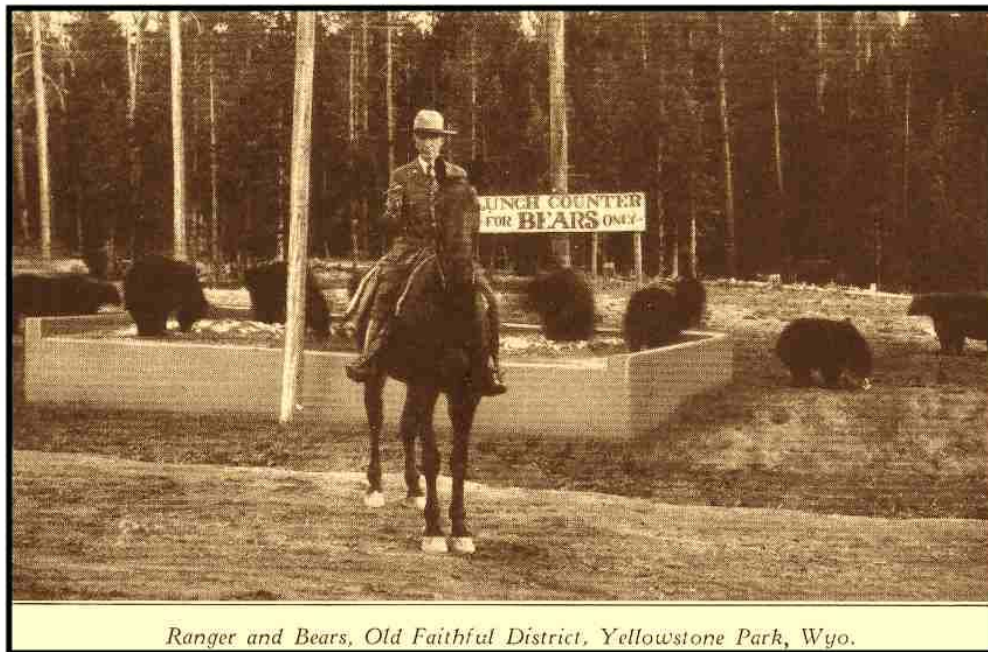
Sightseers filled two levels of the stage on the coaching party excursions.



F.J. Hiscock photo of the Trail Shop on the Cody Road.

Yellowstone contains over 4,000 hot springs and about 100 geysers. The most well-known geyser, Old Faithful, was named the Yellowstone symbol by the 1870 Washburn Expedition and it spouts over 10,000 gallons of super hot water hourly, up to a height of 150 feet or more.

Yellowstone's wildlife and especially the bears and bison have made the Park famous. The bison herds continue to grow.



Yellowstone postcards have become very collectible.

Mark's Memo

At our November 20th meeting, Terry Weis will premier a new collection of over 80,000 cards that he just acquired. There are several new boxes of Oregon and Washington cards as well as lots of Oregon and Washington postal history. Thanks to Maggie for bringing refreshments.

In December, we will have our annual Indoor Christmas Picnic and we ask that you bring a dessert or side dish to share. The Club will provide ham and beverages.

Mark your calendars; you will want to come to our Dec. 18th meeting as Jocelyn Howells will premier a new collection of cards.

It is with sadness that I report the passing of Webfooter #1716, Dan DePalma, who died Oct. 10, 2010 of cancer. Dan was a postcard and ephemera dealer who always had great stuff to sell. He will be missed.



Maggie's Minutes

Hello Webfooters,

There was no official meeting in October because we did not have a quorum of 15 people. Thank you Mark for providing refreshments at the October meeting, the deli sandwiches and doughnuts were great. We do appreciate all your efforts in every single area that you contribute to the success of our club.

Financial Report - Arne Soland our treasurer reported that we have a total of \$8,363.75. We have \$3,134.00 in Checking 1, \$2,987.00 in the Show account, \$1,191.00 in CD1 and \$1,051.00 in CD2.

Membership - Krissy Durden our membership chair reported that we have a total of 227 members. Special thanks to Krissy for setting up the Facebook page for Webfooters. It is a marvelous way to get out messages and advertise our upcoming events.

Our best wishes to Anne Lynch who has been experiencing health issues. We all hope to see her back at meetings soon. Anne contributed an album with cards for our next auction. Thanks so much Anne, you are in our thoughts and prayers.

Even though Phyllis will not be able to continue as a Member at Large on the board next year due to a scheduling conflict, she is always willing to contribute to the club in other ways. We thank you Phyllis for all your participation at meetings in the past. Best of luck to you. Who will fill her position?

By the time I made it to Terry's show on Oct. 16th, it was difficult to find a parking space. I felt this was a healthy sign for postcard collectors. I certainly never get tired of the quest for cards. It was nice to see many new faces at the show. Let's hope we can encourage new people to join our club, our meetings are a very good place to look at new treasures.

The next board meeting will be held on November 17th, 2010 at Elmer's Restaurant on Sandy Boulevard.

Respectfully submitted,

Maggie Parypa, Secretary



Roster Additions

Welcome to Kim!!

Smith Kim

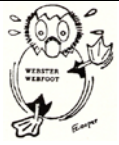
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Librarian.....	Steve Kuryk



Calendar

November 17 – Webfooters Board Meeting at Elmer's Restaurant (no host)
10001 NE Sandy Blvd – 6:30 pm (Board Meetings held every other month)

November 20 – Webfooters Post Card Club Meeting at Russellville Grange
12105 NE Prescott St near 122nd & Sandy Blvd – 10:00 am to 3:30 pm

December 18 – Webfooters Post Card Club Meeting at Russellville Grange
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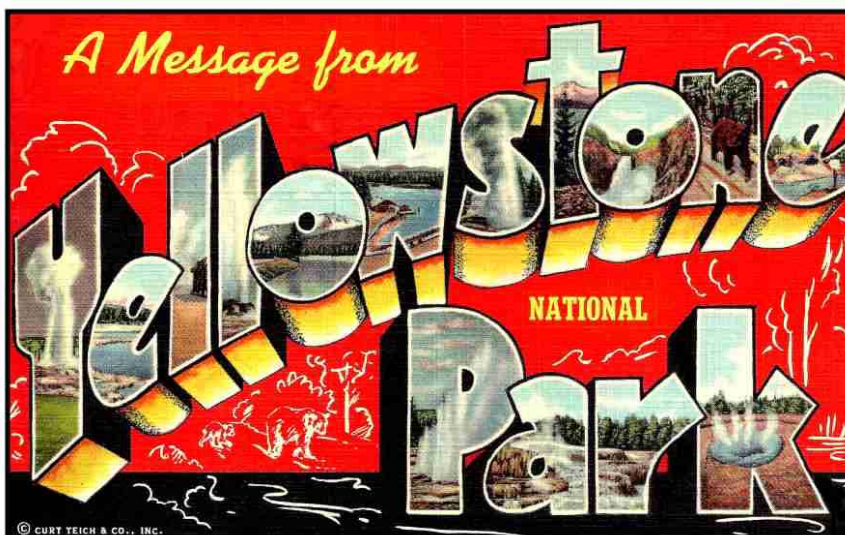


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