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Motorists Guide GLACIER NATIONAL PARK MONTANA

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USEFUL HINTS

This park is a National playground. Observance of the following rules and suggestions will make your visit pleasant and add to the pleasure of others.

Automobiles and motorcycles will be permitted on all of the park roads between the hours of 6:30 a. m. and 10:30 p. m. The park roads are divided into two systems, those west of the Continental Divide are known as the West Side Road System and those east of the Divide are known as the East Side Road System. The East Side Road System includes those sections of the road between Glacier Park Hotel, St. Mary Chalet, and Many Glacier Hotel, which lie within the limits of the Blackfoot Indian Reservation.

A license to operate an automobile or motorcycle on the park roads must be obtained on entering the park.

The fee for this permit is \$1.00.

All fees are payable in cash only and at points of entrance.

Careful driving is required at all times.

The speed limit is 15 miles per hour on grades and when rounding sharp curves. On straight stretches of road a speed of 30 miles is allowed.

Horns should be sounded when approaching curves, vehicles, pedestrians, or saddle animals.

Muffler cut-outs must be closed at all times within the park boundaries.

When approaching saddle horses in narrow or dangerous places automobiles and engines will be stopped until riders pass. Saddle horses always have the right of way.

Teams have right-of-way at all times and in all places. If horses appear nervous, automobiles will take the outer edge of the road and engines will be stopped until horses have passed.

Be careful of your camp fire. Thoroughly extinguish it before leaving, by saturating the fire and earth around it with water.

Camp and park your car only in designated localities.

For the protection of yourself and other visitors, your car must be equipped with good brakes, horn, and lights.

THESE ARE NOT THE REGULATIONS.—There may be obtained from the rangers at the entrances, or from the Superintendent, copies of the Circular of General Information, which contains the prescribed rules and regulations for the government of the park and motor vehicle traffic therein. This circular also contains general information regarding the park.

The Superintendent's office is at Park Headquarters at the west entrance, Belton, Montana; an administration and information office is also maintained at the east entrance, Glacier Park, Mont.

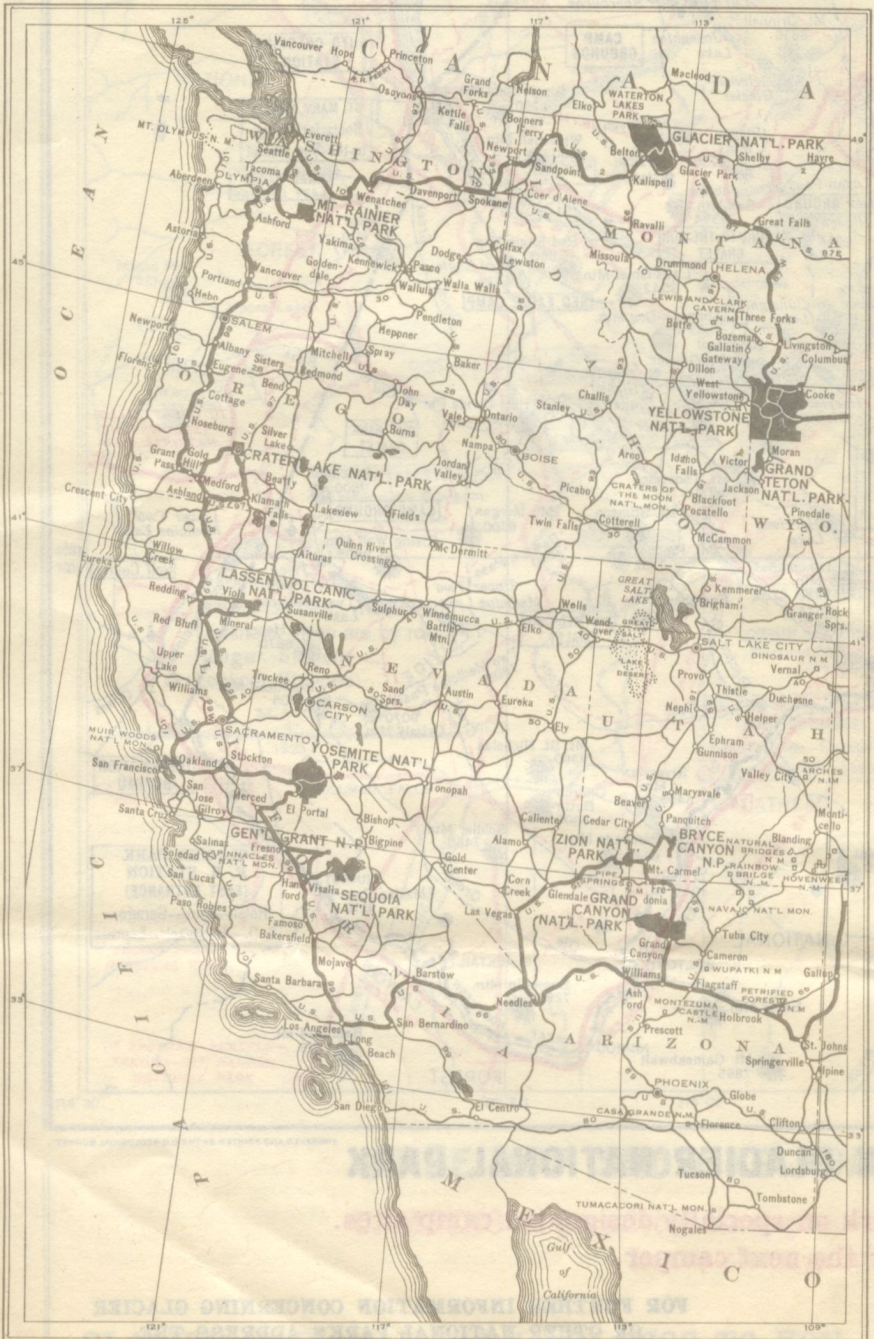
CREATURES OF THE WILD

Glacier, once the favorite hunting ground of the Blackfeet Indians and now for 22 years strictly preserved, has a large and growing population of creatures of the wild. Its rocks and precipices fit it especially to be the home of the Rocky Mountain sheep and the mountain goat.

Both of these large and hardy climbers are found in Glacier in great numbers. They are a familiar sight in many of the places most frequented by tourists.

Trout fishing is particularly fine. There are half a dozen western varieties, of which perhaps the cutthroat is the most common. In the larger lakes the Mackinaw is caught up to 40 pounds in weight.

So widely are they distributed that it is difficult to name lakes of special fishing importance. Many of the best fishing lakes are seldom visited.



Scale of Miles
0 25 50 100 150 200 250 300
AUTOMOBILE ROUTES