

TELEPHONE service is rendered by the Mountain States Telephone & Telegraph Co. Local or long distance calls may be placed from any hotel or other call station within the park, or from the central office located directly west of the post office in the village.

TELEGRAPH—Opening and closing hours of the Western Union office in El Tovar Hotel vary with seasonal travel, but it is open 9 hours each day. When hotel office is closed, Western Union service is available at the railroad depot between 7 a. m. and 9:30 p. m. (except Sunday).

AN EXPRESS OFFICE is located in the railroad depot.

BARBER SHOPS AND BEAUTY SHOP—Barber shops are located in El Tovar Hotel and Bright Angel Lodge. There is a beauty shop in the Bright Angel Lodge.

SOUVENIR POST CARDS, etc., are obtainable at any of the Fred Harvey newsstands, Verkamp's Store, and Kolb Brothers' Studio.

SODA FOUNTAINS are located in Hotel El Tovar, Bright Angel Lodge, Auto Camp Lodge, and Babbitt Brothers' Store.

LOST AND FOUND articles should be reported to or turned in at the Information Desk, Park Administration Building.

TRAVELERS' NEEDS—Toilet articles, films, books, and magazines are obtainable at any of the Fred Harvey newsstands.

KODAK FINISHING—Exposed films left at any of the Fred Harvey newsstands by noon will be finished and prints ready by 6 p. m. (\*) Overnight service also is available during summer months.

MEDICAL SERVICE is available at all times at the Grand Canyon Hospital where a competent doctor and trained nurse are located. The hospital is between the Public Garage and the Park Administration Building. The phone numbers are: Hospital 14, doctor's residence 35.

#### MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

KOLB LECTURES are given daily at 11:30 a. m. and at (\*) 8 p. m. at Kolb Brothers' Studio, located at head of Bright Angel Trail just west of Bright Angel Lodge. These interesting lectures, given by Emery C. Kolb, cover his two trips by boat through the rapids of the Colorado River and are illustrated by authentic motion pictures of the voyages. Admission: Adults, 40 cents; children, 20 cents. Canyon pictures are for sale in art room. Free use of powerful telescope is offered.

ILLUSTRATED TALK AND ENTERTAINMENT, informal, is given each evening at Bright Angel Lodge, starting at 8 p. m., by the National Park Service and Fred Harvey Transportation Department. Admission free.

HOPI HOUSE, directly opposite El Tovar Hotel, is a reproduction of a Hopi Indian dwelling. Indian jewelry, basketry, rugs, and Canyon souvenirs for sale. A Navajo weaver and silversmith are at work on the premises.

INDIAN DANCE is given at the Hopi House by Hopi Indians each evening at 5:30. Admission free.

VERKAMP'S SOUVENIR STORE is located on the Canyon rim just east of the Hopi House. A large painting of the Grand Canyon, a work of the late Louis Akin, is on exhibition. Indian jewelry, basketry, rugs, and Canyon souvenirs are for sale. A Navajo silversmith is at work here also. Free use of powerful telescope.

THE LOOKOUT is a studio and camera shop on the rim near Bright Angel Lodge. Canyon photographs and camera supplies are for sale. Free use of powerful telescope is offered.

THE ART ROOM is in El Tovar Hotel. Canyon paintings and photographs are on exhibition and for sale.

SUGGESTIONS for improvement in service should be made directly to the Park Superintendent preferably before leaving the park.

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

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**WHAT TO DO AND SEE**  
IN  
**GRAND CANYON**  
**NATIONAL PARK**  
(SOUTH RIM)

IN ORDER that the visitor may make the best possible use of his time while in Grand Canyon National Park this leaflet, outlining certain features which are especially recommended and giving briefly information as to accommodations and conveniences, is issued by the National Park Service.

Further and more detailed information may be obtained at the Park Information Office located in the Government Administration Building. You are cordially invited to visit that office, and for information, service, or assistance of any kind—

you are advised to

## **"ASK A PARK RANGER"**

(NOTE.—The park is open the year around, but facilities marked thus (\*) are available during the summer travel season only.)

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## TRIPS

### BUS, AIRPLANE, HORSEBACK, MULEBACK (Make Arrangements at Transportation Desk in Hotels for All Trips)

SCENIC DRIVES--Paved or oiled roads extend along the Canyon Rim in either direction from Park Headquarters. The Hermit Rim Drive terminates at Hermit Rest, 8 miles to the west, and includes a number of scenic points such as Powell Memorial, Hopi, Mohave, and Pima. Desert View Drive extends eastward 26 miles to Desert View, where there is an excellent view of the Painted Desert. Short spurs from this drive extend to Yavapai, Yaki, Grand View, Moran, and Lipan Points.

BUS TRIPS are made regularly over routes above described, starting from both hotels. The bus for Hermit Rest leaves at 9:30 a. m., returns about 11:30 a. m. It leaves also at 1:45 p. m., returning about 3:45 p. m. Rate, \$3. The bus for Desert View leaves at 1:30 p. m. and returns about 5:30 p. m. Rate, \$6. Combination tickets covering Hermit Rest and Desert View trips are \$7. Special cars may be chartered for trips within Grand Canyon National Park, to the adjacent picturesque Indian Country, or other interesting points.

TRAIL TRIPS by muleback are made daily into the Canyon. Parties leave either hotel at 9 a. m., descend Bright Angel Trail, via Indian Gardens to the Colorado River, returning about 5 p. m. Rate, \$5; lunch extra. An overnight trip to Phantom Ranch via Kaibab Trail starts at 1:30 p. m., returning via Bright Angel or Kaibab Trails. Rate, \$18, all expense. A 3-day, all-expense trip via Kaibab Trail, Phantom Ranch, Ribbon Falls to Roaring Springs and return costs \$28. A 2-day trip (one way) across the Canyon to the North Rim is \$30, all expense. Reservations in advance are advisable during the summer months.

SADDLE HORSES may be hired for use on bridle paths. Guided 2-hour trips, each along a different path, are taken at 7:30 and 10 a. m. and at 1:30 and 4 p. m. Charge, each trip, \$1.50. Without guide: 2 hours or less, \$1.50; 2 to 4 hours, \$3; full day, \$5.

\*AIRPLANE TRIPS--Grand Canyon Airlines operates flights over Grand Canyon and to the North Rim. Scenic trips \$8.50 per person from airport, 15 miles south of Grand Canyon Village.

FOOTPATHS extend directly along the Canyon rim eastward to Yavapai Point and westward to Powell Memorial. Hiking down trails into the Canyon is not advisable except for experienced hikers accustomed to unusual exertion at high altitudes. Before attempting such trips inquire at the Information Desk located in the Park Administration Building.

### FREE GOVERNMENT EDUCATIONAL SERVICE

YAVAPAI OBSERVATION STATION AND MUSEUM--Here the story of Grand Canyon is told with telescopes and exhibits. This station is open every day throughout the year, with a ranger-naturalist in charge. Talks on the history and origin of the Grand Canyon are given here daily at 1:40 p. m. It is located on Yavapai Point, 1½ miles east of Grand Canyon Village.

\*WAYSIDE MUSEUM OF ARCHEOLOGY--Here the story of early man in the Southwest and his place in earth history is told with exhibits. An excavated Pueblo ruin is nearby. The station is open daily during the summer season, with an archeologist in attendance.

\*AUTO CARAVAN starts each morning at 8:30 and each afternoon at 2:30 from parking area in front of the public garage. Visitors drive their own cars. The caravan is in charge of a ranger-naturalist who conducts it over the Desert View Drive.

REFERENCE LIBRARY--A small collection of books on Grand Canyon region at Park Administration Building. Available for use of visitors upon application to ranger on duty at Information Desk.

\*CAMPFIRE TALKS--Subjects include Canyon origin, its fossils, animals, Indians, etc. Usually illustrated. Held every evening during summer season. See daily schedule on bulletin boards. Talks start at 8:30 p. m. at campfire site in public campgrounds.

## ACCOMMODATIONS

HOTELS are under the management of Fred Harvey. They are located conveniently to the railroad station, to the Canyon Rim, and to auto parking areas. El Tovar Hotel is operated on the American plan (meals included), \$5.50 per day and up; on the European plan, \$2.50 per day and up. The Bright Angel Lodge and Cabins are on the European plan with rooms \$1.50 per day and up; meals a la carte in coffee shop. There is free bus service between hotels and railroad station.

\*PUBLIC CAMPGROUNDS are maintained by the Government. No charge is made for camping privileges, firewood, or water. Campgrounds are equipped with tables, fireplaces, sanitary comfort stations, and garbage receptacles.

CAMP CABINS in public campgrounds are operated by Fred Harvey. Cabins with single or double beds only, \$1.25. Cabins with stoves, sinks, and tables in addition to above, \$1.75 and \$2.25. Bedding, 50 cents extra per bed. Laundry, showers, and comfort stations conveniently located.

AUTO CAMP LODGE is located in the public campgrounds and is operated by Fred Harvey. Groceries, supplies and moderately priced plate meals may be obtained. A writing room and newsstand are available.

GENERAL STORE--Groceries, fresh meats, fresh vegetables, dry goods, hardware, shoes, drugs, and soda fountain are available at Babbitt Brothers' Store, located across from the Park Administration Building.

GARAGE--This is directly east of the railroad depot. Repair service and storage are available.

SERVICE STATIONS--Gasoline, oils, lubrication service, etc., are available at stations in Grand Canyon Village and at Desert View.

POST OFFICE--Grand Canyon, Arizona, is the official name of the post office. It is located 75 yards west of the Park Administration Building.