

ONE-DAY MARK FALLS SUNDAY AS 3,709 VIEW RIVER PROJECT

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Armistice Day, Is Shat-
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~~3 DAY MARK REMAINS~~

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All one-day tourist records for Boulder dam were broken yesterday when 3,709 visitors arrived in 978 automobiles and one special train to see the world's greatest dam.

The previous high mark, set a year ago during the Armistice day holiday, saw 3,502 persons checked in at the gate on November 9.

FOR THE THREE-day week-end period, the net total this year was 6,398, to take second place among the greatest influx for any similar period, reclamation bureau engineers said this morning.

Last year's total for November 10 and 11 was 5,794, and for this year on the 9th and 10th, the total was 5,117. Today's figures are expected to augment this total considerably.

On Friday of last week, 481 persons in 163 cars were admitted to the reservation; on Saturday, the total was 1,408 in 401 cars, and on Sunday, 3,709 visitors were checked in.

YESTERDAY'S total was boosted considerably by the 130 members of the Union Pacific's Old-Timers club, making the trip here by special train from Los Angeles.

In both Las Vegas and Boulder City, all housing facilities were taxed beyond capacity. The hotels in the two communities made every effort to accommodate the tourists but when all available rooms and specially installed cots, which were placed in the hallways and mezzanine floors of the hostelryes, were filled the tourists were allowed to sleep in the lobbies of the hotels.

THE TOURIST camps reported full houses during the week-end and many rooms in private homes were pressed into service during the three-day period.

The hotels report that they had been sold out for several weeks previous to the Armistice day influx.