

George E. Trask Dies On Family Reunion Trip

George Elbridge Trask, 74, well-known Myrtle Creek resident, died Sunday morning at a Corvallis hospital where he had been for the past week. He had gone there for a family reunion.

Trask was born Dec. 19, 1880, in Oregon. He moved with his parents to Myrtle Creek when he was 2 1/2 years old. He had farmed in the Myrtle Creek area all his life.

His grandfather was a pioneer for whom the Trask River was named.

He was married in 1926 to Ada Haley in Roseburg.

He was a charter member of AF & AM Maple Lodge 127 of Myrtle Creek.

Survivors include his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Howard Brownson of Myrtle Creek and Mrs. James Heath of Canyonville; a son, Delbert of Myrtle Creek; a stepdaughter, Mrs. Helen Greenwald of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Sarah Chaney of Myrtle Creek; a half brother, Ralph Weaver of Myrtle Creek; four half-sisters, Mrs. Roy Elmore, Mrs. Etta Schraeder and Mrs. Cassie Fetterman, all of Eugene, and Mrs. Zella Bromley of Washington, D.C.; eight grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the chapel of Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek, by the Rev. J. Elbert Nash of the Tri-City Presbyterian Church officiating. Interment will follow in the IOOF Cemetery at Myrtle Creek.

Mrs. Emma Carr Dies At Sutherland; Rites Set

Funeral services are scheduled at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday for Mrs. Emma Carr, who died suddenly at her home Saturday morning. She had lived in Sutherland since 1909.

She was born at Mishawaka, Ind., Oct. 8, 1861.

Survivors include two sons, Ernest H. of San Francisco and Richard of Sutherland; two daughters, Mrs. Doris Krewson of Sutherland and Mrs. Nadine Stearns of Oakland.

Services will be at the Sutherland Methodist Church with the Rev. Robert Peters officiating. Vault interment will follow at Valley View Cemetery of Sutherland.

Stearns & Little Mortuary, Oakland, is in charge of arrangements.

Vital Statistics

Marriage License Issued

MARTIN - FITZGERALD—Patrick O. Martin, Eugene, and Mable Fitzgerald, Springfield.

Divorce Suits Filed

CAUDILL—Virgil J. vs. Phyllis A. Caudill. Married Sept. 23, 1951, at Yuma Ariz. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks property settlement confirmation, would award custody of one child, \$50 per month to defendant.

BOYER—Dolph D. vs. Nancy C. Boyer. Married Nov. 5, 1949, at Roseburg. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks custody of one child, equity in car. Plaintiff would agree to award of real and household property to defendant.

KINDER—Frances G. vs. Otho Allen Kinder. Married Oct. 13, 1947, at Townsend, Mont. Plaintiff charged defendant has been convicted of felony and is in state penitentiary at Deer Lodge, Mont. Plaintiff seeks restoration of maiden name, Hazeline.

GILBERT—Frances vs. Lyle E. Gilbert. Married Oct. 29, 1952, at Olympia, Wash. Cruel and inhuman treatment charged. Plaintiff seeks restoration of maiden name, Street.

Divorces Granted
WATERMAN—Robert O. from Altha Elaine Waterman.
WALKER—Glee from Wayne A. Walker. Plaintiff's former name, Renfro, restored.

NUPER—Joseph A. from Inez S. Nuper. Plaintiff awarded car; defendant awarded trailer house.
WILLIAMS—Vada June from Billie E. Williams. Plaintiff awarded custody of two children, \$40 per month per child.

Annulment Granted
JONES—Bernice from Roy Harold Jones. Plaintiff awarded custody of two children.

Fred Williamson Of Glendale Dies

Fred Williamson, 66, Glendale died at Canyonville Friday.

He was born in North Carolina May 6, 1889, and moved to Glendale in 1946 from Tennessee. For 9 1/2 years he was employed by the Robert Dollar Co. and was a member of the Lumber and Sawmill Workers Local 2716 of Glendale.

Survivors include his wife, Fanny of Glendale; 10 children, Swan, Lloyd and Ernest, Mrs. Blanche Crabtree, Mrs. Winnie Walker, Mrs. Thelma Weber and Glenna Williamson, all of Glendale, Ed of Jamestown, Tenn., Roy with the U. S. Navy, and Ray of Muncie, Ind.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at Olivet Presbyterian Church, Glendale, with the Rev. Guy Armstrong of the Glendale Christian Church officiating. Interment followed at the Glendale Masonic Cemetery. Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek, had charge of arrangements.

Nixon To Assist Korean Obtain California Home

WASHINGTON — Vice President Nixon said Saturday he is helping Dr. Sammy Lee, Army major and former Olympic diving champion, obtain a home in California.

Nixon said he "was shocked to learn of Dr. Sammy Lee's difficulty in buying a home in Southern California."

Lee, an Army physician, told newsmen at Fort Carson, Colo., that he had been rebuffed at buying a home because of his Korean ancestry.

Lee said he planned to resign after 13 years in the Army to practice as an eye, ear and nose specialist in Southern California.

Nixon, in a statement here, said he first learned of Lee's troubles through reading newspapers Saturday morning.

"I made several calls to California and was happy to learn that the people of my native state are rallying to his support," Nixon said. He added Lee "will now find several suitable homes available for purchase in the area in which he desires to live."

Lee was born and reared in California, was president of his student body in a Los Angeles high school and was graduated from a college there. He received his medical degree from the University of Southern California.

Baptist Minister Back From Trip To Soviet Russia

NEW YORK — The Rev. Dr. Theodore Adams, of Richmond, Va., president of the Baptist World Alliance, returned Saturday from a two-week visit to Russia and reported a great "upsurge of religion" since his last visit there 21 years ago.

Dr. Adams, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Richmond, arrived at Idlewild Airport aboard a Scandinavian Air Lifter from Paris.

He told newsmen there was no general freedom of religion in the Soviet Union, but rather, a "freedom to worship."

Dr. Adams, accompanied by three other Baptist clergymen, traveled 3,500 miles in Russia and preached 18 times in 15 Baptist churches there.

"I was very much impressed by the sincerity of our Baptists, and there are 500,000 of them attending 34 registered churches," he said.

"The freedom of religion as we know it is not found in the Soviet. The people are free to worship within their church buildings and to discuss their religion within their homes."

Accompanying him on his Russian tour, but not returning Saturday, were the Rev. V. Carney Hargroves, of Philadelphia, the Rev. Joseph H. Jackson, of Chicago, and the Rev. Arnold C. Ohn, of Washington, D.C., general secretary of the Baptist World Alliance.

Greenlease Kidnap Bill Found In North Dakota

MINOT, N.D. — A \$20 bill from the missing \$300,000 ransom money in the Bobby Greenlease kidnap-murder case in the fall of 1953 has turned up in Minot.

It was discovered by Roger Lind, 24, employe at the Minot Airport. The bill was found several days ago, but the matter was kept secret while the FBI sought to determine whether an organized move to pass kidnap money in Minot was afoot.

FBI agents continued checking \$10 and \$20 bills Saturday at three Minot banks.

The \$20 bill is reportedly the first to be found of the missing money since the conviction and execution in December 1953 of Carl Austin Hall and Mrs. Bonnie Brown Heady for the kidnaping and murder of 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease, son of Robert C. Greenlease, a wealthy Kansas City automobile dealer.

'Enoch Arden' Victim Promised Holiday Feast

PORTLAND — Mrs. Ray Peters of Portland expected her son, Daniel Schmidt, to arrive home Monday.

And she said she was planning to hold a long delayed Thanksgiving dinner for the 22-year-old airman who was released recently after being held for 32 months in a Chinese Communist prison camp.

Schmidt's wife, Una, remarried while he was a prisoner, believing she said, that he was dead. Schmidt has remained in California since his return to the United States, trying to straighten out his marital affairs. He has filed suit for divorce against his wife and is asking custody of their 2 1/2-year-old son.

Una's mother, Mrs. Walter Ferguson, is accompanying her son-in-law on his trip to Portland. She has sided with him in the dispute with her daughter.

MORE FLEE E. GERMANY

BERLIN — Another 100 members of East Germany's Communist police force fled to West Berlin last week, raising the total number of deserters from the people's police to 2,338 this year.

Death Toll In Floods Approaching 200 Mark

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with asphalt surfaces churned up. Health hazards were a major problem. Flood survivors in most places were ordered to boil drinking water. Emergency antityphoid serums were flown into isolated communities by helicopter.

Dry ice was an emergency item and supplies were commandeered to refrigerate vital food supplies where regular refrigerators were still without electric power.

On top of all their other problems, many flood survivors looked ahead to an uncertain future with their regular jobs gone, at least temporarily.

Cities Suffer Heavily
Some buildings that first appeared to have survived the floods were found so weakened that they had to be condemned.

In Torrington, Conn., once a thriving industrial city of 28,000, dozens of stores were smashed and factories put out of order. Bridges were gone and vital supplies were flown in by helicopters using a schoolyard for an emergency landing field.

The flood took three lives there and left many others homeless. Emergency aid stations were set up to house and feed the victims.

Normal life was brought to a standstill in Putnam, Conn., where floods and uncontrollable magnesium fires had combined to wreck the town.

"Eye done. This valley is dead," the veteran textile worker commented to an Associated Press reporter who managed to get to the stricken community.

40 Die In Worst Tragedy
The worst single tragedy occurred near Stroudsburg, Pa., where Broadhead Creek swept over a summer vacation camp and carried away 40 persons, mostly women and children. Nine persons survived to tell of the horror when the flash flood collapsed a building, in which the campers had sought refuge. The others were dead or missing.

Brookhead Creek, fed by torrential rains and the collapse of mountain dams, rose 25 to 30 feet within 15 minutes. It devastated parts of Stroudsburg, a Pocono Mountain resort center.

The first repair efforts went to restore utilities and open roads into the flooded districts. By yesterday many places at last had electricity and gas again and telephone circuits were opened. Drinking water was still a general problem, however.

Most railroads were operating through the flood sections but in many cases had to skirt hard-hit cities and avoid weakened or washed out bridges.

In western Massachusetts scores of highways were still blocked. Two communities, Charlton and Southbridge, could be reached only by boat or helicopter. Southbridge was still without gas, water or power.

5 States Disaster Areas
The big crisis was over in New York state, but damage estimated at many millions remained, particularly at Port Jervis and Ellenburg.

Flood reports were relayed to President Eisenhower, on vacation in Colorado. He was "highly gratified" over the rescue work and aid the armed forces were able to render.

States designated by the President as disaster areas and entitled to federal aid in repairing flood damage were Connecticut, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, New Jersey and Rhode Island.

Sunday Fires Inflict Damages Of \$17,600

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working through the night had the motor ready to run Monday morning.

News-Review Correspondent Mrs. Robert Nichols said cause of the Winston area grass fire was not known. Firemen reported they were hampered in getting to the fire as cars and spectators jammed Highway 99.

Eisewhere, in Roseburg, a Saturday evening fire caused \$100 damage to a pickup owned by W. F. Gaise. Roseburg firemen were called to the corner of Mill and Sykes Streets at 10:12 p.m. Cause of the blaze was not known.

ACK ACK FOR KOREANS

SEOUL — South Korea's first anti-aircraft artillery brigade was activated by President Syngman Rhee today at the Ogan U.S. air base, 35 miles south of here. It is American trained.

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Explorer Scouts End Canoe Jaunt To Fort Clatsop

ASTORIA — Twenty-seven Pacific Northwest Explorer Scouts arrived here Sunday to take part in the dedication of a replica of Fort Clatsop where the Lewis and Clark Expedition spent the winter of 1805.

The Scouts had retraced by canoe 80 miles of the last 200 miles of the Columbia River route which the two explorers traveled.

It was the last lap of a trip begun at St. Louis, Mo., last spring by relays of Scout groups. Each group covered a short distance of the trail the explorers blazed 150 years ago.

Taking part in the ceremony were descendants of the Meriwether Lewis and William Clark families. Lydia Large, a great-granddaughter of Sacajawea, the Shoshone Indian girl who accompanied the two explorers, also was present.

Saturday Gen. William F. Dean, Korean War hero, was grand marshal at a three-hour parade watched by an estimated 25,000 to 30,000 spectators.

The sesquicentennial observance will continue through the coming week.

Stray Shot Kills Chicago Visitor

BURBANK, Calif. — A 15-year-old boy, visiting from Chicago, was held Saturday after a man killed by a bullet from a deer rifle as he walked along the sidewalk with his teenage daughter.

Police Lt. Alan Ostroff said the shooting Friday night was accidental to the extent that it was not deliberate. Booked by juvenile authorities on suspicion of manslaughter was Edward Joseph Zaylik.

Zaylik's companion, Frank Zilleckis, 15, of Burbank, also was booked on suspicion of manslaughter but released to his parents.

The victim was Eugene Martin Groves, 48, of 519 E. Harvard Rd., a machinist.

He and his daughter, Sandra, 15, had gotten out of their car and were looking for the address of a house where Mrs. Groves was attending a baby shower.

The shot from across the street hit Groves in the head. He fell, his daughter knelt beside him crying. "Daddy, Daddy, what happened?" He was killed instantly.

Lt. Ostroff said the two boys were taking three hunting rifles from a car into the home of the sister and brother-in-law of one. One, a .300 caliber deer rifle, was not loaded. The second boy pulled the trigger.

Paget Heads Oregon GOP Executive Group

PORTLAND — The executive committee of the Oregon Republican Clubs has named Lovell C. Paget, Portland mortgage operator, as president.

He succeeds A. A. Lausman, Medford, resigned.

The committee, meeting here Saturday, also commended Gov. P. Patterson on his handling of a dispute with Atty. Gen. Robert V. Thornton over an investigation of the State Liquor Commission.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital Admitted

Surgery: Mrs. Kenneth Taylor, Idleyld Park.
Medical: Mrs. Clifford Reeves, John Newport, Mrs. Willard Johnson, Mrs. Jack Wells, Mrs. John Burkhardt, Mrs. Leonard Vestre, Kenneth Tissing, Roseburg; William Pratt, Phillips Knappia, Oakland; Albert Lenport, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. George Fiedler, Temile.

Discharged
Mrs. Robert Carl, Mrs. Leroy Ladd, Mrs. Leslie DeFrees, Mrs. Norman Rice, Mrs. Jack Thompson, Minnie Allen, Robert Curtis, James Flynn Jr., Mrs. James Neavoll, Robert Ross, Virgil Madlock, Mrs. Robert Berry, Roseburg; Mrs. Leo Pratt, Mrs. William Vincent, Oakland; Mrs. Elijah Holm, Sutherlin; Mrs. Grant Wilson, Camas Valley; Mrs. Ellsworth Richey, Tillamook.

Mercy Hospital Admitted
Surgery: Ernest W. Cluff, George W. Olson, Mrs. Sadie Stack, Roseburg; Mrs. Millicent Kenyon, Coquille.

Medical: Ben Hoover, Madera, Calif.; Mrs. Shirley Murphy, Roseburg.

Discharged
Melanda Herzig, Oakland; Mrs. Doris Redifer, Myrtle Creek; Arthur Wennerberg, Winston; Mrs. Mary Cunningham, Mrs. Douglas Johnson and baby son, Sutherlin; Mrs. Kenneth Meng and baby son; George Grimm, Mrs. Elizabeth Winter, Cloy Patterson, Mrs. Mary E. Bartz, Roseburg.

Police Hunting Squirrel Menacing To Humans

A biting brown squirrel with a grey streak down his back was the object of a search by irate residents of east Roseburg and city police today.

The squirrel has bitten several persons, police say.

One woman described the animal as a cross between a digger squirrel and a grey squirrel. She said he was bigger than average and literally "charged" at persons. He appears to be tame and then bites.

Saturday, according to police, the animal attempted to bite Paul Geddes, 322 E. Lane St., in the leg. Geddes chased the squirrel from the porch. Sunday the furry animal nipped the thumb of a young woman as she petted him. He has bitten several youngsters, police said.

Local doctors and Douglas County Health Officer Dr. E. J. Wainwright would like to examine the animal and see if he is diseased. They and police requested that persons report any biting attempts by the animal and maintain caution in attempting to catch the squirrel.

Circuit Court

Decree

Hugh and Alice Harrison vs. Bessie Ella Asia, et al. Real property to be auctioned; Cliff Thornton named referee.

Suit Dismissed
Noble Gray, et al. vs. Trowbridge Electric Co. Case settled.

Preacher's Arrest Bans Stunt With Killer Snake

HARLAN, Ky. — The scheduled appearance of a killer rattlesnake failed to materialize Sunday after state police arrested a snake-handling preacher and cut short the cult's services.

The Rev. William Vernon, of Keokee, Va., was taken into custody shortly after handling four deadly snakes before about 2,000 worshippers in a nearby mountain hollow.

Vernon, charged with violating the Kentucky law that forbids the practice of handling snakes, was released on an appearance bond pending trial next Friday at near-by Caywood.

The Pentecostal Holiness church called the meeting Sunday to "conquer" a rattler that fatally bit Lee Valentine during services at Fort Payne, Ala.

The snake, which was not taken from its box, was confiscated along with several others, breaking up the meeting after about three hours.

After the arrest of Vernon, two other preachers, the Rev. Oscar Hutton, St. Charles, Va., and Raymond Hayes, Cumberland, Ky., unleashed a scathing verbal attack on the state police, saying, "They weren't here to protect the people but to fight God."

Ex-Wrestler Offers Reward For Lost Check

A familiar name in Roseburg wrestling circles some time ago was today offering a \$50 reward for some help to find a \$1,000 check he has lost.

He is "Buildog Jackson," also known as "Yukon Jake." The grizzled mat veteran reports he lost the check from the Bank of America between the Hotel Umpqua and the City Drive-In Market.

It was a yellow check made out to Yukon Jake. He said he has stopped payment on the check and it has been sent out over Roseburg's "check-flash" system.

The former wrestler now works at the Coon Creek Lumber Co. He asks that anyone knowing of the check contact the Roseburg City Police. The check was enclosed in an address book which also contained a title to his truck. The title is in the name of Yukon Jake. The book was lost at the same time.

Reedsport Confab Will Deal With Housing Need

Reedsport Mayor Roy Henderson and city council members will take up the problem of developing a program to give Reedsport ample public and private housing at costs comparable with those in other cities at a special council meeting tonight.

In an effort to reduce the costs of home building and home ownership the Port Umpqua Courier reports, it has been proposed that large tracts of city-owned land and other lands be opened up for housing sites.

The demand "to break the land monopoly" has been heightened by a \$70,000 price tag put on a 5.83-acre tract of privately owned land which was under consideration as a site for a proposed community hospital.

Federal Suit In S. P. Train Dispute Requested

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cific to maintain through passenger service and mail service over its Siskiyou line is a violation of the act of 1865."

Previous Case Handling 'Poor'
Lowry called the failure of the SP to provide service a "deliberate, open, flagrant and continuing violation" of the act. It also appears, he said, that the "alleged losses" from passenger operations are "absolutely immaterial, although the evidence would probably support a finding that the overall SP operations in the area are remarkably profitable."

Lowry said a similar case filed in the district court in 1944 was dismissed. But he said the case was "miserably handled."

Turning again to the Act of 1866, Lowry says the first section "specifically designates the route to be followed" from California to Portland. He also cites Section 7 in which it is stated the "companies named in this act are hereby required to operate and use the portions or parts of said railroad and telegraph mentioned in section 1 of this act for all purposes of transportation, travel and communication, so far as the government and public are concerned, as one connected and continuous line." The act also states that rates, time and transportation should be "without any discrimination."

Lowry was one of three senators from southern Oregon who started action by the state against the SP through the Public Utilities Commission. Also involved in the request for public hearings now pending were Roseburg's Sen. Paul Geddes and Sen. Gene Brown of Grants Pass.

Banner Event In Offing At Annual County Fair

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canned or frozen foods class at the fair may be made with one standard jar.

Department Supt. Mrs. Anne Turley said freezer space will be provided for the frozen entries which must be placed in transparent containers. Entry deadline is 6 p.m. Thursday.

Mrs. Turley called attention to three special contests in her department. The Ball Brothers Co. event is open to adults who have never won first place in either canned fruits or canned vegetables at the fair. She said 4-H and future homemaker members who have won prizes are not disqualified.

A second contest sponsored by two national companies provides cash awards for jellies and jams made with those products. A junior award is offered persons under 18.

The third contest is sponsored by the Herr Glass Mfg. Co. The two best exhibitors in the fruit, vegetable and meat classes are awarded canned jars. Mrs. Turley said.

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