

FRANK R. MERRILL OF ASHLAND DIES AT FAMILY PICNIC

The sudden death of Frank R. Merrill, Ashland's city street commissioner, occurred Sunday at Fish lake when the family were all gathered for a family picnic. The resident members of the family had planned the day's outing for several members, who had recently arrived for a visit at the family home on the Boulevard.

EXPERTS ARRIVE TO CONFER UPON DRAINAGE STUDY

R. A. Work, assigned to this valley as drainage engineer, arrived today with Professor Lewis of the Oregon State college, and conferred with members of the Fruitgrowers' league and the county agent upon the conduct of the survey.

Daily Meteorological Report

Monday, July 22. Medford and vicinity: Fair and cooler tonight and Tuesday.

Table with columns for Local Data, Temperature, Humidity, and State of weather.

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EAGLE POINT BRUSH FIRE CAUSES SMOKE

A brush and grass fire east of Eagle Point, which was reported at the forestry office here at 11:20 a. m. today, was still smoldering at noon and caused much smoke that it attracted the attention of eleven lookouts who telephoned a report of its existence into the forestry headquarters in Medford within an hour after it had started.

MEDFORD WOMEN WIN SHRINE PICNIC PRIZES

Over one thousand Shriners and their families from Eugene, North Bend, Marshfield, Grants Pass, Medford, and Ashland attended the picnic yesterday at Umpqua park across the river from Roseburg.

Playing at the Rialto



MADY NOLAN, JOHN GILBERT and ERNEST TORRENCE in 'DESERT NIGHTS'

'Desert Nights,' John Gilbert's new film, opened at the Rialto theatre today. It tells a vivid and gripping story of three individuals at the mercy of the primitive wastes of an African desert.

House of David Play at Phoenix Sunday, July '28

The House of David baseball team, which has played the Medford team for several years past, will play the Phoenix team Saturday, July 27, at the fairgrounds.

FLY TO LOS ANGELES FASHION EXPOSITION

Adrienne Steward and Miss Elza Ditt, assistant manager of Steward's store at Grants Pass, left here by plane at 9 o'clock today for Los Angeles, where market week is being featured.

Rogue River Co. Official Confident of Valley's Future

W. H. Joyce, secretary of the Rogue River company, has returned to Los Angeles, after spending several days in the valley making inspections of the various holdings of the company and conferring with A. R. Hoelting, general manager.

MRS. SEMON WILL LOSE \$11,000 TOOTH

An impacted tooth which was the cause of a \$11,000 lawsuit, brought by Mrs. Russell Semon against a local dentist in circuit court last year, will be removed by a Portland specialist this week.

LUPER AND BOGGS WORK TO FINANCE IRRIGATION DISTS.

SALEM, Ore., July 22.—Rhea Luper, state engineer, will leave tonight for San Francisco where he will spend three weeks conferring with bondholders of the Crocker, Eagle Point, Warm Spring and Grants Pass irrigation districts relative to reorganization and refinancing plans for those projects.

SCOUTS TRAVEL A PIONEER PATH

BOY SCOUT CAMP ON APPLE-GATE, July 22.—(Special)—Marion Smith, Marlon Palmer, Jack Dedrick and Lester Bradford, accompanied by Lee P. Brown of the forest service, left the Scout camp on the Applegate for a four-day hike to Crocker and Green Pass this morning.

BEACON IN SISKIYOU IN OPERATION AUG. 1

ASHLAND, Ore., July 22.—(Special)—The beacon light which has been constructed at the Siskiyou summit by the Richfield Oil company will be used the first time on August 1, according to a report given out by Guy Good, who has in charge the installation of the Neon lights.

SPECIAL FARE LURE TO EUGENE PAGEANT

With a special excursion rate of \$7.45 round trip—the regular one-way fare to Eugene—offered by the Southern Pacific from July 21 to 27, a number of local people have already signed up for the trip north to see the Sunset Trail pioneer celebration to be held in that city the last three days of this week.

FRIENDS ALL SEE GREAT CHANGE IN SPOKANE WOMAN

"My neighbors are all talking about how well I look since taking the Sargon treatment, and I'm sure I never felt better in my life."



MRS. MINNIE B. FRIZZELL. "I was dreadfully run down for the past two years and could hardly sweep a room without getting so weak and dizzy I'd have to lie down. I'd be nervous all day and end up with a sick headache every night. My appetite was poor and my food never digested properly. At times, I had a dreadful pain in the back of my neck. Constant use of laxatives did me no lasting good and only made me weaker."

Advertisement for Buick cars, featuring the slogan 'Be sure to see it' and the text 'The New BUICK with 3 New Series...3 New Wheel-bases...3 New Price Ranges SATURDAY July 27'.

of power line to supply the power for the powerful beacon. The community dance, which was held by the Lithians on Thursday night at their dance floor in Lithia park, was declared a financial and social success by the committee for the best costume.

Advertisement for an electric fan, featuring an illustration of the fan and the text 'Own your own breeze! for one-half cent an hour'.

Large advertisement for the play 'Desert Nights' at the Rialto theatre, featuring a large portrait of John Gilbert and the text 'STARTS TODAY RIALTO ANOTHER MASSIVE PRODUCTION TO BE SHOWN'.