

## Beauticians To Meet In Medford

An all-day program climaxed by a contest and style extravaganza in the evening has been planned for a meeting of District 4, Oregon Beauticians' association, to be held Sunday, November 17, in Medford. Medford unit of the OBA is the host group and Mrs. Lorraine Miller, unit president, states that the public is invited to attend the fashion show to be held in the evening.

The day's program will open at 8 a.m. at the Jackson hotel with a business session of District 4. Glenn Funk, Coos Bay, formerly of Medford, is chairman. From 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon a group of guest hair stylists will give personal instruction at Medford Beauty school.

A preliminary contest is scheduled for 1 to 2 p.m. at the school, and from 2 to 4 p.m. a panel discussion on problems of the industry and films are scheduled.

A social hour will be held in the Pioneer room of the Jackson hotel from 4 to 5 p.m. and the evening's program begins at 5:30 p.m. with a banquet. The fashion show is set for 7 p.m., the extravaganza showing for 8 p.m. and contest awards will be presented at 8:30 p.m. Leons store will provide clothing for the fashion show, and entertainment is planned.

Here for the show as guest stylists will be R. D. Burks, Arthur Watters, Ora Phillips and Walter Planck, all Eugene. Mr. Burks is president of the Oregon Beauticians' association and Mr. Watters is state style director. All four guests are members of the OBA styling committee.

Reservations for the banquet are to be made by calling the Jackson hotel.

More than 75 student and graduate beauticians from all parts of the district are expected to attend the meeting.

## Veterans Hold Annual Event

The annual banquet and meeting of the Last Man's club was held at the Veterans' building, 42 North Front street Saturday evening, November 9. This club, composed of veterans of World War 1 and Spanish American War veterans, was organized May 29th, 1937 at Medford by Ira D. Canfield, a World War 1 veteran. The club meets once a year on the Saturday preceding Veterans' day, formerly known as Armistice day.

When the club was formed, a fifteen year old bottle of cognac was dedicated to the Last Man. At the last banquet he is to open the bottle and drink a toast to all the departed comrades, thus closing the book of life and the Last Man's club.

The club is unique in that every member is a life member and when the charter was closed no more members could be admitted. The club instead of growing is decreasing in membership. At the time of organization, there were 106 members; this has decreased to 45.

Officers elected for the following year were president, O. E. Hukill; vice - president, Lyle Thurman; secretary - treasurer, R. E. Schulz.

## School and PTA Announce Plans For Open House

Lincoln school and Parent-Teacher association will observe National Education week Thursday, November 14. The school will hold open house beginning at 7 p.m. and parents are invited to visit various rooms.

At 8 p.m. the PTA unit will hold a business session in the school gymnasium. Child care will be provided by members of Girl Scout Troop 188, under adult supervision.

## American Diaries Read for Women

Dr. Arthur Kreisman of Southern Oregon college read excerpts from early American diaries at a meeting of College Women's club Saturday, November 9, at the home of Miss Elizabeth Burr.

Mrs. Charles Champlin sang a group of romantic ballads, accompanied by Mrs. H. E. Marsh at the piano.

Two new members joined the club, Mrs. Marshall B. Sweet and Mrs. L. G. Frink.

Mrs. G. L. Linn was the social chairman, assisted by Mesdames David Baker, W. H. Sutter, Roy Martin and Ben Schmidt.

## Luncheon Honors Chief Herring On Retirement

Rogue Valley club, Navy Mothers' Club of America, honored William O. Herring at a retirement luncheon November 5 in Girls Community club. Mr. Herring, chief engineer in the United States Navy, will go to Seattle Monday to be released from the Navy after 20 years of active service. He has been assigned to recruiting duty in this area since July, 1955, and makes his home at 529 Edwards street. He will continue to live here after retiring.

Other guests of honor at the luncheon were Chief Herring's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Herring, Portland; L. E. Kimmel, machinist, from the Navy recruiting office in Portland; Mayor John W. Snider, Lt. Comdr. R. P. Knights, USNR, commanding officer of the Naval Reserve unit in Medford, and Mrs. Knights; Warren I. Boe, Navy recruiter in charge of the Medford station. Mrs. Boe; Chief Cleve King, USN retired, and Mrs. King.

Other guests were Mrs. Walter Rudick Jr., Mrs. James Stelle and small daughter, Mr. D. Steele and small son, all Winston, Ore.; Mrs. Jean Stevens, Mrs. Kit Gates, Mrs. Judy Hubbard, Mrs. M. L. Lucas, Mrs. Georgia Cummings, Mrs. Virginia Welch and Mrs. Gladys Downes, Grants Pass; Mrs. Nute Tycksen, Talent; Mrs. R. E. Anderson, Mrs. W. P. Daley and Mrs. R. A. Sanford, Medford.

The luncheon tables were decorated with cut-outs of tropical fish, miniature submarines and silver anchors to indicate Chief Herring's service in the submarine branch.

A Hawaiian lei was given to each one present as a symbol of farewell, and Chief Herring was presented a retirement congratulatory card with the signatures of those present.

During the business meeting following luncheon, Mrs. Roy Clarke, Mrs. B. J. Sanford, Jacksonville, and Mrs. R. J. Gunther, Ashland, became club members. The next meeting of Navy Mothers is scheduled for Tuesday, November 19, at Girls Community club.

## Noted Americans Topic of Program Given for Group

Mrs. E. W. Jermark and N. S. L. V. Watkins, gave the program for the last meeting of the Wednesday Study club.

Mrs. Jermark reviewed "The King Ranch," by Tom Lea. The story is about an 11-year-old boy, Richard King, who stowed away on a steamship outbound from New York City for Mobile Bay, New Orleans. The boy made a good impression on the captain. He was allowed to remain on board, and liking the sea-faring life, eventually became a river captain at 23 years of age. Later he was in the U.S. government service which afforded the opportunity to gradually buy up available land that established the fabulous King Ranch of 600,000 acres near Brownsville, Tex., where he specialized in fine horses and cattle.

Mrs. Watkins reviewed "No Greener Pastures" by Stanley High. The author tells of a boy born in Missouri in 1864 of Negro parents who was taken into the home of a white planter, Moses Carver, and given the name George Washington Carver. There was only one book in the Carver home, Webster's Speller, which the boy memorized.

He walked ten miles to the Negro grade school in Neosho, Mo., and later graduated at the top of his class at Iowa State college. A brilliant botanist and chemurgist, Dr. Carver was showered with honors. Thomas Edison invited him to join his staff at \$50,000 a year. Henry Ford gave him a laboratory for World War I food research and he was awarded the Theodore Roosevelt medal in 1939 as "a liberator to men of the white race as well as the black." In his first ill-equipped laboratory he developed more than 300 new uses for peanuts, sweet potatoes and other Southern products.

## Ham and Egger Cafe Opens After Short Move

The Ham and Egger cafe, 301 South Central ave., Medford, will reopen at 4:30 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 14. Mrs. Annette O'Neill, proprietor, has announced.

The cafe was closed Saturday, and moved about 100 feet south of its former location. The move was necessary because Acme Hardware is constructing a new building just north of the cafe.

## PROSPECT Family Returns To Alaska

By GENEIL SPRUILL  
Prospect—Mrs. Robert Colver and children of Ketchikan, Alaska, who have been visiting friends and relatives here the past several weeks, left Sunday, Nov. 3, for their home. They were accompanied to Portland by Mrs. Colver's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. John Malon, of Central Point, and her sister, Mrs. Boyde Powers of Prospect.

Mr. and Mrs. Artie Holmes and niece, Gloria Holmes, of Medford, visited in Prospect Saturday.

Mrs. Harold Anthony is convalescing at her home from recent surgery.

St. Martha's Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. James Grieve Nov. 12. The program for the afternoon will be a film on cancer. There will be a doctor or a nurse present to answer questions. Anyone interested in seeing this film is invited to attend.

A party was given at the home of Mrs. Dee Hedgepeth Nov. 2. It

was given by the Church of the Nazarene. Other children of the community were invited.

Prospect hunters Earl and David Bliss killed a 250 pound black bear on Hershberger mt. Kenneth Canary killed a 400 pound black bear on Stella mt. during the past week.

Forest Service men at the Union creek station extinguished a fire at one of the homes Thursday.

Peter Frison, who is employed by Leo Hoag, was injured Thursday at 2 p.m. in a logging accident. He received cuts about the face which required several stitches.

Gusty winds, accompanied by rain, hail and lightning early Sunday morning, uprooted many trees, caused power failure and ripped roofing and shingles from several homes and outbuildings in the Prospect area.

Mrs. George Govenor, who was injured in a truck and car accident near the Cascade Gorge

## Benson To Resign, Senator Predicts

Raleigh, N.C. — A member of the Senate Agriculture Committee says Agriculture Secretary Ezra T. Benson will resign shortly after he returns from his world tour.

Sen. W. Kerr Scott (D-N.C.) said that Benson had been convinced that he is a "definite detriment" to the Eisenhower administration and will quit in the "very near future."

Scott said "His departure will be graceful. I am certain the President will agree to keep him in Washington, probably as a special assistant and advisor on world agricultural problems or some such thing."

"Instead of actually firing him, the President will probably 'promote' him to a non-active position where he doesn't have to come into contact with the public, especially farmers," Scott said.

store Nov. 6, is recovering at her home but is still under her doctor's care. She received a head injury and was badly bruised.

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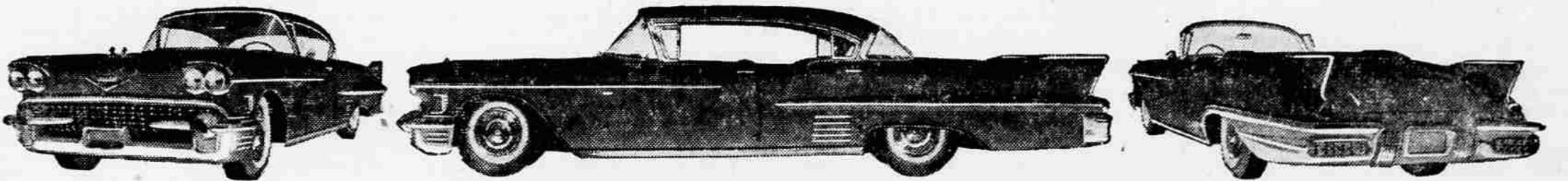
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