

UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY offered by Camp Easter Seal, Oregon's only summer camp exclusively designed for crippled children and young adults, is dramatized by an empty wheelchair on the beach, left there by a young occupant who is enjoying a swim. Camp is located on Ten Mile Lake in Coos county.

Teacher Is Delegate At Lloyd Center Meet

RIVERVIEW -- Mrs. Maude Wells spent Friday and Saturday as the county delegate to the Oregon Education association representative council at Lloyd Center in Portland. Her niece, Miss Mary Shearer of Hillsboro visited her Saturday night and Sunday, and took her to Astoria for dinner Sun-

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bodenhamer and his mother, Mrs. Phyllis Bodenhamer spent the week end at the home of his sister, and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fowler in Portland. Ted bowled Saturday evening with Ralph's Chevron team and Sunday afternoon for Nehalem Lanes.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Glenn Mitchell were her daughter, Mrs. Charles Darby and daughter Lydia of Oak Grove who were here Friday and another daughter, Mrs. Neil Ward of Hillsboro who spent Saturday with her.

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Seals Provide Summer Camp

Camp Easter Seal will open its doors to 150 or more young campers this summer, beginning in mid-

But these will be different than most youngsters seeking fun at a summer camp. They will arrive in wheelchairs, wearing heavy leg braces or using crutches.

Camp Easter Seal is Oregon's only summer camp designed specially for physically handicapped youngsters and young adults. The campers will range in age from 7 years to 19 years and over.

There will be five sessions of 10 days each and the sessions will be divided into age groups that are compatible. The first session will be for boys and girls from 7 to 10 years, to be followed by sessions for those 11 and 12, 13 and 14, 15 through 18 and 19 years and older.

The camp offers these physically handicapped youngsters and young adults an opportunity to do and see the things that their more fortunate friends take for granted.

A normal day's schedule calls for fishing, rides in cruiser on Ten Mile lake, camp-outs, horseback riding and craft sessions. Activities are limited by the individual's ability to participate.

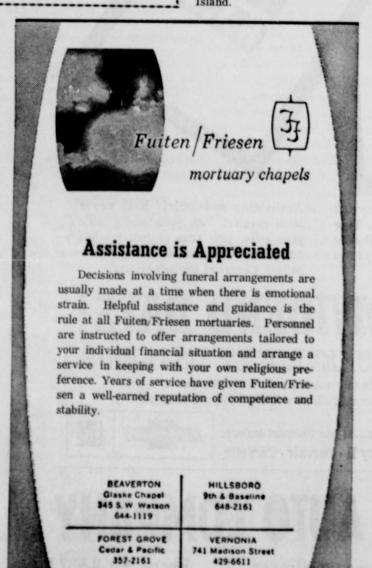
A nominal fee is charged for those who are able to pay, but Dick Yost, president of the Easter Seal agency, the Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults, stressed that no youngster is turned away because of lack of funds. Campships are available.

Persons interested in the camp are asked to contact the Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults, 1135 S. W. Yamhill St., Portland, for further information.

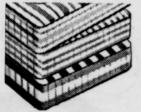
Principals Plan **Spring Events**

Darrold Proehl, elementary school principal for school district 47J, met Tuesday with the elementary principals from Scappoose and Warren and County extension agent, Don Coin Walrod, to make plans for outdoor education events to be held this spring for sixth and seventh graders from the three

schools Tentative dates were set for a day at Camp Wilkerson for sixth graders and for the annual seventh grade forestry trip to the forest tract at the fair grounds at Deer







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Duncan to Run For U.S. Senate

Robert B. Duncan, congressman from the fourth district of Oregon, at a press conference at the Congress hotel in Portland Wednesday of last week, declared his intention to file for the Democratic nomination to the United States senate. This is the position presently held by Mrs. Maurine Neuberger Solomon.

In making the announcement, Duncan declared himself as supporting the president's policy in Viet Nam, and in support of all action to stem the tide of communism.

In some instances money will go a little farther today, but it still won't stretch as far as next

School Gives NMSQT Tests

The Vernonia high school administered the National Merit Scholarship qualifying test to seven students at 9:00 a.m. Saturday, February 26. The NMSQT, a two and one-half hour test of educational development, is the first step in the twelfth annual competition for four-year merit scholarships. Students who wish to be considered for the Merit Scholarships to be awarded in 1967 must take the NMSQT on the date set.

All students' scores will be reported to their schools before May 15, together with interpretive and guidance materials for schools and students. About 14,000 semifinalists, the highest scorers in each state, will be announced publicly on September 22, 1966.

The names of semifinalists will be sent to colleges and organiza-

tions offering financial aid to accomplishments outside the classundergraduates. In October approximately 38,000 students who score just below the level required of Commendation for their high performance, although they will not be eligible to compete for

Merit Scholarships. Each semifinalist will be required to substantiate his NMSQT performance on a second examination and submit certain biographical information in order to become a finalist in the competition. Only finalists are eligible to be considered for the Merit Scholarships financed by NMSC and sponsors. Every finalist will be awarded a Certificate of Merit for his outstanding performance in the 1966-67 Merit Program.

Finalists who win Merit Scholarships will be selected on the basis of school records and recommendations, test scores, extracurricular activities, leadership ability, and

room. The awards range from \$100 to \$1500 per year according to the student's need. About three-fourths of semifinalists will receive Letters of the 2004 Merit Scholarships awarded in 1965 were sponsored by corporations, foundations, colleges, associations, unions, trusts or individuals.

> It's too late to stop and think after an accident happens.

> Some hate to admit it, but courtesy is a two-way street.

