

Lt. James Hayes In Anti-Sub Crew

Navy Lieutenant Junior grade James H. Hayes, son of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Hayes of Route 1, Heppner, is a crewmember of Helicopter Anti-Submarine Squadron Four aboard the anti-submarine aircraft carrier USS Yorktown, operating with the Seventh Fleet in the Far East. The squadron is a part of an anti-submarine "Hunter-Killer" group composed of surface, sub-surface and air units designed to find and destroy enemy submarines. He will have an opportunity to visit ports in Japan, the Philippines and Australia while in the Far East.

Capt. Brenner Takes Instructor Course

Captain Clarence L. Brenner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Brenner of Jone, Ore., has entered the U. S. Air Force pilot instructor course at James Connally AFB, Tex. Upon completion of the training program, Captain Brenner will be assigned as an instructor pilot at an Air Training Command (ATC) pilot training base for duty. ATC trains airmen and officers in the diverse skills required by the nation's aerospace force. The captain, a graduate of Jone High school, attended Oregon State College and is a member of Delta Chi. His wife is the former Terry I. Itokazu.

Green Graduates From NCO Academy

Army Specialist Four Samuel O. Green, son of Mrs. Verle E. Richardson, Heppner, was graduated from the Seventh U. S. Army Non-Commissioned Officer (NCO) Academy in Germany, Nov. 5. Specialist Green received rigorous training in leadership and exercise of command, map reading, the history of weapons and military teaching methods. The 22-year-old soldier, a truck driver in the 126th Medical Company near Karlsruhe, Germany, entered the Army in September 1960. He is a 1960 graduate of Heppner High school.

Engineer Named For Morrow Work

Richard S. Ivey, an urban and regional planner has joined the staff of Cornell, Howland, Hayes & Merryfield, engineers and planners, and will participate in planning studies being undertaken by that firm for Morrow County, the City of Heppner, and the City of Baker. For the past seven years Ivey has been on the staff of the University of Oregon Bureau of Municipal Research and Services, and has prepared or participated in the preparation of general and specialized, planning studies, zoning ordinances and subdivision regulations for a number of Oregon cities, including Pendleton. He is a graduate of Reed College, Portland, and holds a master's degree in political science from the University of California.

Officers Chosen By Lexington HEC

By DELPHA JONES
LEXINGTON—Home Ec. club of the Lexington Grange met at the home of Mrs. C. C. Jones with Mrs. Ed Hunt as co-hostess last Thursday afternoon. This was a luncheon meeting starting at 1 p.m.

Following this Mrs. Vida Heilker, Ione Pajona HEC chairman, installed the newly elected officers: Mrs. C. C. Jones, chairman; Mrs. Ed Hunt, vice chairman; Mrs. Nora Turner, secretary, and Mrs. Kenneth Smouse, treasurer, with Mrs. Alfred Nelson filling in for Mrs. Smouse. Mrs. Jones presented last year's officers with appreciation remembrances.

At the business meeting plans for the month of December were made, with an exchange of gifts planned for the December meeting at the home of Mrs. A. F. Majeske, with Mrs. Florence McMillan as co-hostess. It was announced that the Grange members bring gifts for the State hospital to the next Grange meeting. There was some discussion on the members providing articles for the patients in the nursing home in Heppner and gifts that they might give. Mrs. Marsha VanSchoiack, Mrs. Ola Ruggless and Mrs. Nora Turner were appointed as a committee to look into this. Anyone wanting more information may call these ladies.

Mrs. Ola Ruggless, State District HEC chairman, presented Mrs. Norman Nelson with an appreciation gift and Mrs. Turner presented Mrs. Jones with an appreciation gift for her work the past year. She was also presented a Past HEC chairman pin.

Following the business meeting slides of Viet Nam, Saigon and Hong Kong were shown the group by Mrs. Alonzo Henderson. The slides were shown to Mr. and Mrs. Henderson by their son Laddie who is stationed there with the U. S. Army.

Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Van Schoiack, Mrs. Turner, Mrs. Ruggless and Mrs. Scott of Heppner; Mrs. Alfred Nelson, Jr., Mrs. Norman Nelson, Mrs. Heilker and Mrs. Mary Lundell of Jone; Mrs. Majeske, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. Wilbur Steagall, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Ed Hunt of Lexington.

Mrs. Natalie Rauch spent several days at the home of her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Al Fetsch last week after her stay in Pioneer Memorial hospital. Mrs. Rauch has returned to her home in Heppner this week.

Recent visitors at the O. W. Cutsforth Ranch and mountain lodge have been Mr. and Mrs. John Densinger, parents of Mrs.

Cutsforth, Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Lash, Mr. and Mrs. Don Head and John Shearer of The Dalles, Mr. and Mrs. Armin Whilon of Redmond, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Schmidt and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marsh of Mosier, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baldwin and children of Quincy, Wa.

A birthday party honoring Joyce Peck and a going away party honoring LeRoy Hicks was enjoyed at the Em Peck home last Thursday evening. Games and dancing were enjoyed after which refreshments were served. LeRoy and his mother, Mrs. Evelyn Hicks, are moving to Fossil where Mrs. Hicks will be employed.

Kenneth Marshall is a patient in Pioneer Memorial hospital in Heppner.

Mrs. Florence McMillan and Mr. A. F. Majeske were overnight visitors in Pendleton last Wednesday where they visited Mr. Majeske who is a patient in the Community hospital there.

Mrs. A. F. Majeske, son Gene, a granddaughter Debbie, and another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wright and sons of Portland, were visitors in Pendleton on Sunday with A. F. Majeske who is a patient in the hospital there.

Holly Rebekah Lodge met in regular session last Thursday night and was preceded with a turkey dinner. Following the business meeting drill and initiation practice were held in preparation for initiation on December 4.

Wm. J. VanWinkle spent a week at his cabin in the mountains where he and some friends have been enjoying some elk hunting.

Shirley Baker was a Pendleton visitor on Saturday.

Among those going to Portland last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Ledbetter, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Padberg and Bill and Buster Padberg.

The Amiciatia Club met at the home of Mrs. Gene Cole last Thursday evening. Those enjoying an evening of cards were Mrs. Bob Davidson, Mrs. George Hermann, Mrs. Wm. J. VanWinkle, Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth, Mrs. Roger Campbell, Mrs. Bob Lovgren, Mrs. Al Fetsch, and the hostess. High prize was won by Mrs. Hermann, second high by Mrs. O. W. Cutsforth, traveling by Mrs. Campbell, and low by Mrs. VanWinkle.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Viall and children and Herbert Davidson were in Grandview, Wn., over the week-end.

Mrs. Vern Viall is employed at the First National Bank in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Doherty and Mrs. Don Pointer were Portland visitors last week. Mr. and Mrs. Doherty visited their daughter Martha and Mrs. Pointer visited her daughter Louise and her son Hank, all students at Portland State.

Mrs. Lola Breeding is spending some time in Portland at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dennis, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Munkers spent the week-end at Corvallis and were guests at the Karl Miller home. Mr. Miller is a patient in Salem Memorial hospital and is expected to be there for some time.

A guest last Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Colley was Mrs. Ollie Reade of Salem. They were also visited on Friday by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reade of Spray.

To Attend Dinner

Judge Oscar Peterson will go to Walla Walla Monday to attend a farewell dinner for Maj. Gen. W. W. Lapsley, division engineer of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, who will be transferred from the Portland office to a position in the state of Michigan. The dinner will be in the Marcus Whitman hotel. Judge Peterson has worked with Gen. Lapsley on the Willow Creek project and other projects of significance to the county.

Morrow Hereford Growers in Show

Kirk and Robinson of Heppner and Herbert Ekstrom and Sons of Jone are listed among the exhibitors and consignors from coast to coast who will participate in the 1964 National Polled Hereford show and sale to be held December 7 to 9 in Portland.

More than 360 of America's finest Polled Herefords are entered in the breed's 42nd annual national classic at Portland. Sixty-eight of these animals are consigned to the national sale on December 9, the Polled Hereford association, with headquarters in Kansas City, Mo., announces.

Fifteen states and Canada will be represented in the event. A total of \$10,000 in cash premiums is offered at the show. Annual meeting of the 12,000-member association will be at 2 p.m. Monday, December 7, in the ballroom of the Sheraton-Portland hotel.

GI Loan Taxes Climb This Year

The average ex-GI with an Oregon veterans' farm and home loan paid a property tax of \$306 this year, a 10 percent increase over the \$278 he paid last year and 15 percent above his 1962 payment of \$265.

This figure was reported by H. C. Saalfeld, director of the state Department of Veterans' Affairs, which paid \$8,771,394 in 1964-65 taxes this month on the properties of 28,629 World War II and Korean veterans who have state loans. Last year's tax payment was \$7,497,258 on 26,968 properties.

In Morrow County, the tax on veterans properties was \$10,430.55. The average tax here was \$217.00, compared to the statewide average of \$306.

The borrower pays his taxes monthly to the state veterans' department along with his loan repayment. The department in turn pays the tax collector, and does it before November 15 to earn the veteran a three percent discount. The discount this year saved the veterans \$271,000.

Consultant to Discuss Health Reorganization

Max Mehlfaff, field program consultant from the Oregon TB and Health Association, will be in Heppner Monday night, November 30, at 7:30 p.m. at the court house to speak on the subject of reorganization in the state.

Most of the counties in Eastern Oregon have reorganized and Mr. Mehlfaff will report on the success of this venture, according to Mrs. Marcel Jones, Morrow County TB and Health Association president.

All persons interested in the

future of the TB and Health program in Morrow county are urged to attend this meeting. Another in the monthly free TB chest X-rays will be Wednesday, December 2, at Pioneer Memorial hospital. These are free to all county residents between 7 and 8:30 p.m.



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