

George Hermann Takes State Police Position

By DELPHA JONES

LEXINGTON — Mr. and Mrs. George Hermann and daughters are moving to The Dalles on August 28 where Hermann will be affiliated with the Oregon State Police.

Mr. and Mrs. Hermann have been owners of George's Chevrolet station for the past few years, and living in Lexington.

Recent visitors at the Hermann home have been her mother, Mrs. Nita Grey, and grandson, Eric Young, of St. Johns, Ariz.; also, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Grey and children of Nasvick, Tenn.; Jerry Grey and two children of Anthony, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Wallis Grey and children of Seattle, Wn.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Piper are the proud parents of a baby daughter, Sherrie Ann, born at Community hospital in Pendleton on Saturday, August 16. The young miss weighed 7 lb., and joins a sister and brother at home. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Quackenbush of Heppner and Mrs. Ada Piper Dugan of Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jones motored to Portland on Friday taking Kimberlee Ann Larson to her home after a two weeks visit here. Willie Moreau of Seattle, who has been visiting the last month at the Jones home, returned to his home at the same time. Billy Irvin, who is spending the summer at the Jones ranch, stopped at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Irvin, and visited there over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Henderson and daughter, Betty, of Hood River spent Monday night in Lexington attending to business matters.

Mrs. Florence McMillan accompanied Mrs. Dorris Graves, Mrs. Percy Cecil and Mrs. Don Heliker to Portland on Sunday where the ladies attended the 65th wedding anniversary celebration of Mrs. Graves' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilcox, former Lexington residents.

Gene Majeske was a Portland and Forest Grove business visitor one day last week.

Kenneth Marshall, who has been a patient in Pioneer Mem-

orial hospital, has returned to his home.

Three Links Club met at the home of Mrs. Oris Padberg on Thursday of last week. Following the regular business meeting refreshments were served to Mrs. Ralph Burcham, Mrs. Florence McMillan, Mrs. Eula Bloodsworth and Mrs. Annie Keene by the hostess, Mrs. Padberg.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ruhl were Portland visitors over the week-end and on the way home, had the misfortune to have their car catch on fire near Corbett. The car had to be left and Mr. and Mrs. Ruhl returned home by bus.

The daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Skip Ruhl of Colfax, were with them and are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wallace have returned to El Cajon, Calif., where he is stationed nearby with the U. S. Marines.

Mrs. Joe Yocom and mother, Mrs. Venice Hendrickson, and three Yocom children motored to Klamath Falls last week, where Mrs. Hendrickson's daughter will have surgery. Debbie Yocom returned home after visiting two weeks in Klamath Falls.

Science Foundation Applications Due

Applications for a National Science Foundation inservice institute at Eastern Oregon college next year will be accepted from high school chemistry teachers until September 15, according to Dr. R. A. Hermens, its director.

Funded by a grant of \$8,400 from the foundation, the institute will admit 20 teachers with less than three years of academic work in chemistry. The institute will pay tuition costs and allowances for books and for mileage to successful applicants.

The subjects for the three terms will be "Physical Inorganic Chemistry," fall; "Physical Chemistry," winter, and "Physical Analytical Chemistry," spring. Courses will be held each Saturday from 9 a.m. until noon.

Information may be obtained from Dr. Hermens in Science-212 or by telephone at 963-2171, extension 322.

Unique Car Show State Fair Event

The "Wildchild," the "Silhouette," the "Fire Truck" and the Bonnie and Clyde death car are some of the fantastic cars to be seen in the National Custom Car Club Show at the Oregon State Fair.

These exotic cars represent countless hours of painstaking labor and imaginative creating. The "Fire Truck" for instance, has a hand-formed fiberglass body, with 17 coats of candy red paint. The interior is done in gold velvet and white nautahyde. The gas tank is a chrome fire extinguisher. In fact, everything has been chrome plated, including the complete undercarriage, and the car is entirely functional and can be driven.

The Bonnie and Clyde death car was used in the movie "Bonnie and Clyde." It has 104 real bullet holes, and is displayed with two used tombstones.

Transformed motorcycles are also on display. The "Wildchild" was formerly a three-wheeled police motorcycle, used by the Kansas City, Mo. Police Department. The hand-formed steel body has 13 coats of gold lacquer, shadowed in red, and a red velvet interior. It was a sweepstakes winner at the Indy Nationals and was featured in the September, 1968 issue of "Motorcycle Guide Magazine". The "Wildchild" is valued at \$7,000.

The Custom Car Show is one of the major attractions at the 1969 Fair, which opens a 10-day run August 23 through September 1, and will be a magnet for thousands of viewers, according to Robert S. Stevens, fair manager.

Wins Insurance Trip

Mrs. Vesta Kilkenny was informed Friday, Aug. 1 that she had been awarded a coast vacation trip for outstanding insurance work with the Farm Bureau Insurance company. She was the only agent of the company in the state to receive the expensive trip, which will include deep sea fishing off the Oregon coast the first week in September.

House guests at the Lucille Parrish home August 8-14 were her son, Alvin Ayers, and Richard Learned. They left for Seattle to return to their jobs.

Air Force Captain Gets Four Awards

A Gettysburg, S. D., man, whose wife is from Heppner, has been decorated with four awards of the Distinguished Flying Cross (DFC) for extraordinary achievement and heroism as an U. S. Air Force Captain.

U. S. Air Force Captain Donald E. Thomas, received the awards at England AFB, La. His wife, Charlene, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ruhl, Heppner.

The 19-year Air Force veteran received the first DFC for providing close air support to a small friendly force which was engaged with the enemy. Captain Thomas made repeated low altitude attacks. His precise bombing tactics and calmness while continuously being fired upon resulted in heavy damage to the enemy troops and their supplies.

For the second DFC award, Captain Thomas was cited for leading two A-37's to aid U. S. troops pinned down by hostile forces. His devastating strikes broke the enemy onslaught and aided in saving numerous defender's lives.

A third award of the DFC was received by the Gettysburg High school graduate for heroism when he scrambled from Bien Hoa Air Base to aid the Loc Ninh special forces camp under siege by the enemy. Despite the hazards of near darkness and enemy fire, Captain Thomas made numerous passes until the attack was broken and the enemy retreated.

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According to Jernstedt, the committee has decided to give top priority to labor relations which aren't covered by federal law. He indicated there is some sentiment on the committee to have a state law with procedures similar to those of the National Labor Relations Board to handle state cases which are not covered by the federal law.

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Course Catalog Of Continuing Ed Now Off Presses

Printing of the 1969-70 course catalog for the Office of Independent Study was completed last week, according to Dr. Viron Moore, head of the department. Independent Study, a unit of the Division of Continuing Education (DCE) is the correspondence study arm of the colleges and universities of the Oregon State System of Higher Education.

The new catalog lists 170 college-level courses and 40 high school courses which may be taken by correspondence. The courses are the equivalents of courses taught in the classrooms of State System colleges and universities and state high schools. Nearly all courses carry credits which apply toward degrees or diplomas.

Independent Study courses may be taken either with or without college or high school credit, though in either case the student pays the same fees. Fee for college-level courses is \$17.00 per term hour of credit; for high school courses, \$38.00 per half-unit, the equivalent of one semester of study in a given subject.

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Course catalogs may be obtained by contacting the Office of Independent Study, 1724 Moss Street, U of O Campus, Eugene 97403.

Visiting at the Archie Padberg

home this month were three of Mrs. Padberg's sisters-in-law. Accompanying Mrs. Hulda Mortimore of Eugene here was her grandson, Mike Wilson of Brigham City, Utah; also here were Mrs. Edith Castle and son, Jerry, of Marysville, Calif., and Mrs. Irene Atherton of Ontario. The Padbergs had just returned from a short vacation, visiting relatives in the Salem, Portland, and Sandy areas, before their visitors arrived.

Golf Tourney Held by Mail

With the help of Uncle Sam and a unique method of computing scores, local golfers may be competing for State and National titles in a tournament developed by the American Golf Association. The major difference between this event and stereotyped tournaments is that the golfers will be playing against par rather than each other.

Rules of the tournament call for qualifying and competitive rounds to be played on the golfers home course which will eliminate financial worries, travel, and time away from work.

Attested score cards submitted by mail will be computed through a special scoring system developed by the AGA for use in tournaments of this type. No handicaps are used, and all rounds are to be played under the existing rules of golf. Officials of the association point out that this is a basic test of golfing skills and not a sweepstakes event.

Qualifying rounds will consist of thirty-six holes to be played between August 22-31. Entrants who qualify will be shooting for State and National titles in four divisions: Championship 140 (or under)-152, AAA 153-168, AA 169-184, A 185 and over. Trophies and awards will be presented to State and National winners as well as runner up in each division. No prizes will exceed the two hundred dollar limit allowed for amateur golfers.

The tournament is open to all amateur male golfers 15 years of age or over. The entry fee for all events is ten dollars which includes a one year membership in the AGA.

Entry blanks and further information may be obtained from the Tournament Director of the American Golf Association, 206 South Green Street, Morgantown, North Carolina 28655.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Farra, Mesa, Ariz., were guests of Mrs. Ida Farra August 15-16. They have been visiting relatives and friends in the western states on their vacation.



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