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 —H.H.S.—

Sportsmanship

What is sportsmanship? If you had been at the game at The Dalles Saturday night, you would have gotten an idea as to what good sportsmanship is really like. It doesn't mean merely good sportsmanship on the part of the team, but also on the part of the student body.

If an outsider can't tell which is the home team, there is no doubt that good sportsmanship exists. At the game Saturday there was not a single boo during the whole game; the gym had the same ring to it when Heppner made a basket as when The Dalles made one.

This is not only good for the school but it aids the teams that are playing and makes a much better game to watch. If the students would strive to give the opposing team a boost, it would better the school as well as the team. But there is always some one who thinks it is great fun to boo the opposing team, but trade places with your own team-mates and then see how you feel! It even injures your own team to boo the opposing team.

Let's have one motto, "GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP."

By Riley Munkers.
 —H.H.S.—

Comparison

In a recent issue of the Hehisch I noticed an article taken from one of our eastern Oregon newspapers ridiculing our modern popular music. It cited "The Music Goes Round and Round" as sounding as though it had come out of the hushouse. We might reply that "Ta Ra Ra Boom Te a" sounds as though it had originated during an acute case of delirium tremens, and the words are so idiotic that we can't even be sure of the spelling. "When I Grow Too Old to Dream" eclipses "After the Ball" for sentiment, and if we went back into the songs of yesterday, we could find just as many nonsensical songs, in comparison, as we find today.

We still respect the old songs which have come down to us, but we try not to go back to pick out the ones of which the older generation might have been ashamed. So why not overlook the "monstrosities" of our music in the face of these facts and let it go at that?
 —H.H.S.—

Warm Up Number Chosen

The band has chosen the "Stars and Stripes" for their warm up number for the state band contest this year. The required number is the "Festival Overture," but the selective number has not been definitely selected.

As soon as the weather warms up the band should progress faster due to extra practices and special classes for different sections.
 —H.H.S.—

Team on Winning Side Again

A short pep assembly was held Friday afternoon for the purpose of creating enthusiasm for the game with Condon that night. Coach Tetz and various members of the team gave short talks commending the support of the student body, which remained intact in spite of several defeats. From the showing which Heppner made at The Dalles and Lexington, we believe the "losing streak" is over and that the team will justify your confidence and support in it.
 —H.H.S.—

10 Years Ago

One of the greatest events of the year was holding of two debates between the junior-senior and sophomore-freshman debating teams.

The senior team was composed of Orrin Bisbee, Marjorie Clark and Mary Ritchie. The members of the junior team were Marvin Gammell, Bobby Turner and Claud Conder. On the freshman team were Fletcher Walker, Evelyn Swendig and Katherine Bisbee. The subject: Resolved, That the Philippines should be given their freedom within 5 years.

The Heppner basketball team journeyed to Ione where they played the Ione team, emerging victorious with a score of 9-7.
 —H.H.S.—

Guess Who?

He's a junior lad with a crop of red hair.

When it comes to athletics he's always "in there."

In the student activities he does his share

We feel he's the answer to a maiden's prayer;

For he's tall, intelligent—yes, very smart;

In the junior play he handles nicely the leading part.

He's the type of a lad who is liked by all.

If you say "Van," he will answer your call.
 —H.H.S.—

New Class Officers Elected

In the past week all the classes called meetings for the purpose of electing officers. The freshmen officers are as follows: President, Harold Armstrong; vice president, Richard Hayes; secretary, Carolyn Vaughn; treasurer, Clara Belle Adams. The sophomore officers are, president, Billy Barratt; vice-president, Thomas Gonty; secretary, Molly McIntyre; treasurer, Joan Wright; sergeant-at-arms, Willie Stone. The junior officers are, president, Jackson Gilliam; vice-president, Harriet Hager; secretary-treasurer, Ruth Green; sergeant-at-arms, Vernon Knowles. Senior officers are, president, Kay Parker; vice-president, Paul Brown; secretary-treasurer, Neva Bleakman; sergeant-at-arms, Fred Hoskins.
 —H.H.S.—

Heppner Wins Two Out of Three

Playing three games in four days, two of them on road trips and one at home, the Heppner Mustangs showed some of their lost form by garnering victories over Condon and Lexington, and losing to The Dalles.

Meeting Condon in a home game, the local quintet amassed 40 points to their opponents' 22, running up 8 counters before Condon could score.

In the second game, Heppner, stepping into Class A competition, journeyed to The Dalles and made a very creditable showing, losing 21-20, after a second half rally fell short by one point. Although The Dalles Indians buried the tomahawk, the Mustangs really showed the material of which they are made, The Dalles having beaten the strong Hood River team the previous night by a score of 13 to 11.

Last Monday on Lexington's home court, Heppner decisively defeated the Jackrabbits by 23 to 7. Lexington sank the first basket, but the Mustangs quickly tied the score at two all. After about three minutes of close checking, Heppner broke loose and hooped five baskets before the half ended, holding Lexington to a lone field goal. The Mustangs held their lead throughout the remainder of the game, never being hard pressed by the scrappy Lexington hoopsters.
 —H.H.S.—

HUMOR

Have You Ever:

Wondered why Gerald Roberts didn't feel so well Monday night? (Tuesday morning, also.)

Wondered why so many students use the humor column to get even?

Wondered why some students can't mind their own business?

Heard of the Heppner City Clickers?

Heard the jokes that were cut out of the junior play?

Wondered why Bethal Blake is writing notes to Jackson? (What will Riley say?)

Felt like killing the Humor editors?

Heard Fred Hoskins "bellow" while playing in a basketball game? (It must be his animal instincts.)

After the game at The Dalles last Saturday night the basketball team was enjoying a meal at one of the downtown restaurants. It seems as though some of The Dalles girls had

taken a shine to the Heppner players and were waiting outside. The Heppner players were kidding each other about these girls when Len Gilman spoke up and said, "I'm immune to things like that."

"Oh, you catch everything that comes along," another team member quickly replied.

"The only thing I ever catch is 'chicken pox,'" Len retaliated.

Then the coach spoke up: "That's the first time I've heard it called that," he said.

Was Len's face red?
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Emmett Kenny: "That new farm hand of ours is terribly dumb."

Vernon Knowles: "How's that?"

Emmett: "He found some milk bottles in the grass and insisted he had found a cow's nest."
 —H.H.S.—

Grade Team Wins Twice

In a game against the Lexington grade school last Thursday, the local grade school team was victorious by an overwhelming score of 23-2.

As a thrilling preliminary to the high school game Monday, the seventh grade cagers edged out the Lexington team by a score of 14-13. In this game the Lexington "bunnies" tied the score in the last minute, after trailing by a wide margin, only to lose after Aiken converted a foul shot in the last few seconds of the tilt.
 —H.H.S.—

Do You Know That—

1. Southern engineers are now using cotton in road building?

2. Wood ticks—the kind you find on your dog—can live for three or four years without food?

3. Scientists have revived animals suffering from electric shock by giving them a counter shock?

4. The foreign-born population of the United States is more Italian than any other nationality?

5. Bear and moose are increasing in number instead of decreasing, as is commonly supposed.

6. Wisconsin conservation workers will plant a billion fish in Wisconsin lakes and streams this year?

7. In Fairbanks, Alaska, baseball is played at midnight under natural light—the perpetual light of the northern summer?

8. Social leaders of America receive more than a million dollars a year for advertising testimonials? The Vanderbilt name brings the highest price.

9. Citizens of Boston pay more for brown eggs than white, but New Yorkers willingly pay more for white? It's just a matter of local prejudice.

10. Careful tests show that the difference between break-neck speed and careful driving, over the thirty-five miles to a neighboring city, produces an average time saving of only seven minutes?
 —H.H.S.—

Brain Tormenter

Answer to last week's puzzle: Don't be foolish. There was no boy, there was no gun, there was no watermelon or farmer. There wasn't anything, because when watermelons ripen, ponds are not frozen over in adjoining fields.

A mother worm, a father worm and a baby worm lived happily in a verdant field. One day a neighbor told them that he had overheard the farmer say that he was going to plow up the field the following day. In great consternation the worm family packed and moved over the wall into the next field, where they dug themselves a hole and went to sleep. The next morning, as is the habit among worms as among mortals, the baby worm got up first, crawled out of the hole, looked around and saw that their old field was really plowed up. He said with great enthusiasm and relief, "Gee, I'm glad we moved over here, all five of us."

Explain why he said, "All five of us."
 —H.H.S.—

PINTO-POINTS

Paul McCarty
 Looks as if the local quintet has regained some of its lost prestige . . . or whatever you want to call it . . . two victories in three games over the week end . . . and The Dalles just beat them by a measly free throw. By the way, The Dalles Indians nosed out Heppner one point and Hood River by two points . . . figuratively speaking, that makes the Mustangs one point stronger than Hood River . . . but Hood River de-

feated Mac-Hi three points and then the Pioneers turn around and take Heppner by 13 tallies . . . so what?

Comparing our N. C. A. L. and seasonal standings, the latter is more impressive. Basketball rates as the most popular inter-club and class sport at Colorado Women's college . . . seems to be almost vice-versa among the local feminine students. The F. F. A. smoker promises to be a donnybrook. Four members of our faculty are alumni of Oregon State and one of the university . . . and as far as the Oregon-O. S. C. basketball "civil war" is concerned, our Oregon representative leads the conversation when the five tutors get together to confab. Surprise of the week: Large representation of Heppner students at the Lexington game. Here it is February and still no mention of a swimming pool . . . how about it, downtowners?

Remember how many times the Hermiston hoopsters swished the net on their last visit here? . . . wouldn't disturb our record at all to reverse that this coming Saturday.

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