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## Heppner Whacks Condon 26-6 to Take League Lead

### Hughes Made Goal In First Canto on Off-tackle Smash

Coach Leonard Pate's Mustangs ran a little bit wild over the Condon Blue Devils in Friday's football game at Condon, returning home with another victory and first place in the league standing. The decisive winning score 26-6, removed any doubt about the strength of the Mustang herd and placed Heppner in line for district play-off honors.

With Archie Padberg booting the pigskin for 50 yards on the initial kick-off, the Mustangs were off to a good start. Condon was held and forced to punt out. Heppner on a series of plays moved the ball down to the Devil 28 yard stripe. From there, Hughes, on an off tackle smash, carried the ball over the goal line standing up. Try for conversion failed.

Heppner scored in the second canto when Buster Padberg laced a pass over to Jack Parrish who put the ball down in pay territory. Archie Padberg took it over for the extra point. Score: Heppner 13, Condon 0. Later in the same quarter Archie Padberg smashed over from the four yard line for the third touchdown, following this up by taking the ball over for the extra point.

After the rest between halves, Condon came back with more power and spirit than previously displayed in the game. Despite this display of strength, Skip Connor, Mustang quarterback, carried the pigskin 10 yards for the final Heppner touchdown. Score: Heppner 26, Condon 0.

Not to be denied at least one touchdown, Condon threw in a series of desperation passes in the final period. One of these connected with D. Wilkins who raced over for a touchdown. Try for point failed.

Heppner led in first downs 15 to 4.

## P-TA Arranges Fine Program for 14th

A program of high order has been arranged by the Heppner Parent-Teacher association for the forthcoming meeting Wednesday evening, Nov. 14. The Heppner Women's chorus, under direction of Mrs. O. G. Crawford, will sing a group of songs. Dr. F. G. Scherer, director of social hygiene for the Oregon Tuberculosis association, will be the speaker of the evening.

In connection with the monthly topic, "Health and Physical Fitness", the school will have a health display. The city library will show some of the latest and best books for different age groups, encouraging better reading for children.

The Heppner unit has launched a membership campaign with the hope of expanding the sphere of influence of the P-TA in the community. Yearly dues are 50 cents and the present members feel that all school patrons should enlist in the work of this democratic organization. They say: if you are interested in your child—in his health and physical fitness; if you want to know how you as a parent can help in preparing children to meet the responsibilities in a new world of peace, then attend next Wednesday evening's meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gibbs, of Vancouver, Wash., are the parents of a boy, Robert Keith, who arrived in Vancouver Nov. 1, 1945. Mrs. Gibbs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thomson of this city.

## "Hotel Mollahan" Sans Customers

Most hotel operators would be worried if their rooms were empty, but not so with Pat Mollahan, who, in his role as sheriff has the care of guests at the county bastille. For the first time in several weeks the "hotel" is empty—or was up to midnight last night—and Pat is greatly relieved, although he did entertain some notorious customers the past month. Three of these customers apparently didn't like the accommodations and took French leave last week.

Sheriff Mollahan has been informed that Charles M. Ronning who broke jail with Jesse Kirkland and Elbert Demery Tuesday of last week, has been returned to Jefferson Barracks, Mo. where he is a general prisoner. The other two are in the hands of the FBI.

The trio left Heppner in the pickup belonging to Russell Wright. Officials believe they drove to Arlington where they took a sedan. However, the pickup was found at Umatilla and it is supposed that one of them drove it that far to throw officers off the trail. The ruse didn't work and they were picked up at Baker Wednesday.

## Mrs. Lucas Named Council Chairman

Heppner unit of the Council of Oregon Republican Women held its November meeting at the Lucas Place Wednesday noon. The chief business before the group was election of officers for the ensuing year with the following results:

Chairman, Mrs. J. F. Lucas; vice chairman, Mrs. Frank Wilkinson; secretary, Miss Marie Barlow and treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Dick. The board of directors is composed of Mrs. W. O. Dix, Mrs. Lucy Rodgers, Mrs. Grace Nickerson, Mrs. O. G. Crawford and Miss Florence Bergstrom.

A membership drive will be conducted before the next meeting which will be early in December.

## Addison D. Inskeep Dies at Hardman

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday for Addison D. Inskeep, 70, who passed away at his late residence in Hardman Monday. Rev. Joe Stephens of Hardman officiated and arrangements were in charge of the Phelps Funeral Home. The services were held in the I. O. O. F. hall at Hardman and interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery there.

Addison David Inskeep was born Jan. 2, 1875 at Marysville, Mo. and came to Morrow county in 1903 settling in the Hardman country where he farmed a number of years, later moving into Hardman which was his home until the time of his death. He is survived by six children, Osel Inskeep, Ione; James Inskeep, Portland; Mrs. T. R. Wacken, Salem; Mrs. Vera Dalzell Condon; Mrs. Robert Rogers, Sweet Home, and Mrs. William Weldon, Portland.

## Victory Loan Campaign Moving Along; E Bond Sales Picking Up

### Gift Packages to "Yanks Who Gave" Coming in Slowly

With only 33 days left to do Christmas shopping, most of us are dallying around about leaving gift packages at the Legion auxiliary center, the show window in the Heppner Hardware and Electric company store. Auxiliary members are anxious to get a large collection of gifts at the earliest possible date so they may be prepared for shipment before the annual holiday crush comes.

This year there is twice as much need for "gifts for the Yanks who gave" as in former years, due to the large number of service people in hospitals here and abroad and the auxiliary points out that there is no lack of incentive for giving a generous Christmas to these hospitalized veterans.

A suggested list of items having the approval of the war department includes books, stationery and toiletries. A complete list may be found in the window of the Heppner Hardware and Electric company store.

### MRS. RICE NEW CHAIRMAN RED CROSS HOME SERVICE

Mrs. R. B. Rice has been named chairman of the home service division of the Red Cross succeeding Mrs. Clara Gertson who has held the post during the war time period.

The service was instituted to aid parents and service men in cases of necessity, such as illness or death at home, the Red Cross being able to put through messages to the service men where other sources have failed.

Those needing the service may contact Mrs. Rice by telephone. Her number is 2512, Heppner.

## General Closing in Prospect for Monday

While there will be no observance of the day locally, it is expected that most places of business will remain closed Monday in honor of Armistice day. Merchants were to be approached on the subject of closing by the merchants' committee of the chamber of commerce and it was thought most places would not open their doors Monday.

A proposed football game between the Heppner Mustangs, Grant Union high of John champions of their respective districts, scheduled to be played in by the high school athletic association Saturday was called off. There will be no play-off game between the two teams, their standing to be decided by a vote.

A large number of football fans are planning to drive to Hermiston Monday to support the Mustangs in their second meeting with the Hermiston high. Heppner won the first tilt and the boys are keyed up to sustain their unbeaten record for the season.

## HEALTH MEETING

A public meeting will be sponsored by the Morrow County Public Health association Tuesday evening, Nov. 13, at the Heppner city hall, announces Mrs. Claude Graham, president. The meeting will be called at 8 o'clock and it is hoped that the room will be filled with people interested in promoting the health program of the county.

F. G. Scherer of the Portland division of social hygiene education will be the speaker.

## Location Sought For New Building

A new business building is in prospect for Heppner, according to announcement by R. C. Kolmer and Basil St. Clair, Portland men who visited here the fore part of the week. A desirable lot is being sought for the erection of a garage building, construction of which will start at an early date if the location is secured.

Kolmer made his wishes known to the city council Monday evening, needed to accommodate the type of building they wish to put up. The streets and public buildings commission was instructed to ascertain the correct dimensions of property owned by the city adjacent to the Morrow County Creamery company plant and if found suitable to fix a price commensurate with other property similarly located.

The visitors also stated that they are interested in putting up a number of residences if lots can be obtained at a figure that will warrant the investment. They expect to be through with contracts they are working on in Portland by April 1 and are anxious to get located in a good little town by that time—and they think Heppner is just the place to locate.

## Small Buck Costs Hunter Tidy Sum

Possession of venison killed out of season cost Herman Albert Schoene of Forest Grove \$150 when taken before Justice J. O. Hager Tuesday. Schoene, in company with four other men from Forest Grove, was on an elk hunt when the sight of a deer close at hand tempted him too far.

Arrest was made by Officers Eldred L. Wright and Edgar Albert who took the entire party into custody. Schoene took the blame and was fined \$150 and given a sentence of six months in jail. The jail sentence was suspended.

Schoene stated that he was returning to camp when he espied a small buck nearby and couldn't resist shooting it.

## Heppner C. of C. to Back Helen Healy In Queen Contest

Purchases of E bonds, while not booming have been quite satisfactory to the county war finance committee. There has been a speeding up of buying this week and from present indications Morrow county will attain its goal.

New impetus to the campaign was added today with the entrance of Miss Helen Healy in the queen contest sponsored by the motion picture operators and newspaper publishers of Oregon. Miss Healy is the first applicant for the contest and it is expected that others will be in before the end of the week.

Miss Healy is being sponsored by the Heppner Chamber of Commerce. The directors in a meeting last night, voted to support a contestant and the popular young stenographer was prevailed upon to make the race. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Healy of Butter Creek, is 21 years old and a graduate of Heppner high school in the class of 1942. In her capacity as secretary to P. W. Mahoney, county war finance chairman, she has had considerable experience with bond selling.

Star Theater activities in conjunction with the Victory Loan drive have been announced as follows:

Children's matinee at 2 p. m., Saturday, Dec. 1. The picture will be "My Friend Flicka", a re-release of a great picture, in technicolor, the story of a boy and his horse. Admittance will be by purchase of war bond or stamps. Children are requested to buy bonds and stamps at bank or postoffice. Tickets will be received with bond purchases to be handed in and stamps may be presented at the theater door.

The film for the War Bond Premiere, Tuesday, Dec. 4, will be the Technicolor musical, Thrill of a Romance with Van Johnson and Esther Williams. This is a dandy! It is also planned to present the Morrow county entries in the Oregon Victory Queen contest at this program and also to arrange for other entertainment.

Free Movie night is set nationally for Dec. 7, the anniversary of the Pearl Harbor back-stabbing.

At the War Bond premiere, admittance is only by bond purchase, by bond purchase or the regular admission charge.

Queen contest tickets are available at the theater.

Tickets for bond purchasers will be available at the bank and postoffice Saturday. Inasmuch as arrangements were completed after the starting date of the Victory Loan drive, anyone who has bought bonds may secure their tickets by request from the place where they purchased their bonds.

On Free Movie night admittance is

### POW HOME

After an absence of over four years, Paul Brown returned home Friday night, coming with his mother who met him at Fort Lewis. Paul has gained 65 pounds since being released from a Japanese prison camp but still has some distance to go to match his pre-war weight. He will return to Fort Lewis the first of the week for further hospitalization.

### ATTEND YOUTH RALLY

A group of Ione young people attended a Youth for Christ rally in Hermiston Saturday night. Included were Mary Barnett, Winifred Zinter, Ruby Kincaid and Lindsay Kincaid. A similar rally will be held in Ione Nov. 17.

## It Is a Small World After All . . . . .

The following letter which was received this week by Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Turner from their daughter, Mrs. Raymond Huddleston of Valdez, Alaska, is further proof that it is a small world after all.

"We had the most pleasant surprise last evening. I had asked four of the boys from the ship to dinner, and about 4:30 one fellow came. Of course I supposed he was one asked because I didn't know them better, one of your ex-pupils, Mollahan, but who was it but John Ledther! Naturally I had him stay to eat and we surely had a good old eastern Oregon and Lillian C. Tur-your pictures and he said, 'Good ner conflag. Lorene showed him old Mrs. Turner. She had to lam-

basst me once in a while, but she was a good teacher.' Then he asked to see 'Frank's' picture and we really started talking about home.

Then I asked him if he knew Raymond Parrish and showed him his picture and he said, 'Oh you mean Jack Parrish?' He was more than amazed that they were Raymond's nephews. Finally we got around to Boardman and it turned out that he had gone to grade school the year I taught there and knew the Wilson boys and girls, Tannehill boys, Skoubos, Ransiers, Barlows and all my good friends there. He'd even had Mary Harvey

When the boats first came the for a teacher.

other day, I immediately asked if there were any Oregon boys aboard, but the bigger one is a Coast Guard and I'd asked them, but John is on the navy smaller boat from which I'd met none of the fellows. He is surely a nice boy and crazy to get home. Tell his folks he is wild to see them and told me all about them. He will be up again this evening and I'm thrilled to pieces.

Hope this makes you 100 percent better, Mother. He loves you as do all your 'boys'.

It has snowed nearly two feet the last two days. Some of the boys are getting quite a thrill out of it. They are all grand fellows and we are enjoying them immensely. Some would like to stay here forever."