

Mustangs Hang Up Grid Suits, Hoop Start Due

By Larry Mollahan

The Heppner high school Mustangs wound up their 1953 football season Wednesday, with a loss to Echo to finish the season with a record of 3 wins, 4 losses and 1 tie.

Though the season was not as successful as some previous years, coach Steve Trukositz commended the boys for playing every game with much zest and spirit. He said they got a lot of experience that will be valuable to them in the future.

The team that represented Heppner during the season is composed of eight seniors who will be graduating next spring. They are Jim Green, QB; Jim Wightman, guard; Dick Williamson, tackle; Ron Currin, end; Russell Taylor, guard; Terry Thompson, HB; Bill Hughes, backfield and Bob Buschke, Back. The returning squad will have 12 juniors, nine of whom will receive letters for this year's work.

The climax of the season came last Friday evening when the mothers of several of the players put on a turkey dinner for the squad at the Elks club. The team wishes to extend its thanks for the dinner and to the mothers who prepared it. Mrs. Buck Ruhl, Mrs. James Hayes, Mrs. Robert Grabbil, Mrs. Cliff Dougherty and Mrs. Alice Smith, and to the others who contributed to the dinner.

Beef Continues Top FFA Project Choice

Beef, the most popular project of the Heppner Future Farmers of America, continues to increase in both quality and number each year. James Allen, FFA instructor, said this week. Several local boys have added good stock to their projects this year.

Among them are Ron Currin, who bought a registered heifer calf at the Coe and Royleen sale at Stanfield and Stacy Lovgren who bought four registered Hereford calves from the Harold Wright herd.

Due to the present price of feed and the dip in the bull market, only one bull calf is on feed at the present time, Allen said. Ron Currin is now feeding one that he raised. Five bulls were fed by chapter members last year. Allen Hughes selling one at Baker and two at the Midco sale and Eddie Brosnan selling one at the Midco sale. John Brosnan has one bull consigned at the John Day sale next week.

This year only three steers are on feed for The Dalles Fat Livestock show. Jack Monagle and Roy Hughes each have shorthorn calves from the Howard Cleveland herd and Steven Green has a hereford calf from the Floyd Jones herd.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ruggles returned Thursday from several days spent in Portland.

Sgt. Arthur O. Bergstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bergstrom of Ione, is home on furlough. He has reenlisted in the Air Force.

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Basketball Next

With the grid schedule out of the way, the next item of importance is the basketball season and coach Trukositz indicated this week that workouts in this department will start the first of next week. Though it is too early to pick out any squad starters, the schedule has been completed and is printed below:

Dec. 4—Arlington Jamboree
5—Boardman Jamboree
11—Lexington at Lexington
12—Echo at Echo
13—Arlington at Heppner
19—Enterprise at Heppner
Jan. 8—Rufus at Rufus
9—Echo at Heppner
15—Condon at Condon
16—Lexington at Heppner
22—Wasco at Heppner
23—Heppner at Ione
29—Fossil at Fossil
30—Ione at Heppner
Feb. 5—Arlington at Arlington
6—Fossil at Heppner
12—Rufus at Heppner
13—Umatilla at Umatilla
19—Condon at Heppner
20—Umatilla at Heppner
26—Wasco at Wasco

Local Dealer Views New Chevrolet Truck

E. G. Fullerton of the Fullerton Chevrolet Co. has just returned from Portland where he attended a private preview of the new 1954 Chevrolet trucks.

The exhibit and accompanying business session were sponsored by the Chevrolet Motor division for all retail dealers and salesmen in this area and emphasized the importance Chevrolet is attaching to its soon-to-be announced new truck line.

"The meeting was somewhat without precedent in our experience, because it was devoted exclusively to new truck models," said Fullerton. "The reason soon became clear. The 1954 line contains so many new features that even a review of highspots required considerable time."

"Not only will Chevrolet have more to offer the truck user in 1954, but it will expand the forces behind its selling. Included is an expanded advertising program."

Fullerton said he plans to arrange a special showing of the new line in his dealership when the trucks become available for display later this month. It is one of the few times in history that Chevrolet has exhibited new trucks apart from new passenger car models.

EXTENSION UNIT MEETS

The Lexington extension unit held their November meeting last Friday at the Grange hall where Mrs. Alvin Wagonblast and Mrs. Karl Miller gave demonstrations on candle making. 17 members and two guests were present and a sack lunch was enjoyed at noon.

Local Dealer To See New Truck Line

The long-awaited 1954 line of GMC trucks will be viewed by James Farley, owner of Farley Motor Company, local dealer, at a special GMC dealers regional meeting Nov. 23 at Portland.

Farley said he has been promised in advance that he will see a truck "years ahead" of its competitors, incorporating more than 100 new engineering and style features. "All I can say now is that for the first time, passenger car styling has been brought to trucks."

The display date for the new line will be announced shortly.

Ione Knocked Out Of Title Race by Union's 20-7 Win

Though they put up a hard battle for the chance to go on into the semi-finals of the state B football playoffs, the Ione high school Cardinals had to bow before a heavier and more experienced Union high school eleven when they tangled on the Ione field Saturday afternoon. The final score was Union 20, Ione 7.

The Union squad started out early in the game with long ground gains that temporarily fooled the Ione defense and ended the first half with a 13 to 0 edge over the host team. Ione came back in the second half with a much tighter defense to hold the visitors to one more touchdown, and then in the final minutes of play developed a sustained drive that netted them their single tally.

Ione's passes, a form of attack which accounted for many of their touchdowns during the season, fell mostly incomplete during the entire game, though several short snaps were gathered in for needed yardage. The Union squad intercepted many of the longer heaves, though two were ruled complete by officials when Union was penalized for pass interference. The game was hard-fought throughout and was watched by a big crowd of spectators from Ione, Lexington, and Heppner as well as a big delegation from Union.

The game wound up the season for the Ione team, and Union's win entitled it to meet Moro, who defeated Malin in the district quarter-finals.

Legion Auxiliary Plans Card Party

A benefit card party will be held at the American Legion hall Monday, November 23 at 8:00 p. m. This is to be sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary for their "Gift Shop" project each year; and is open to the public. The money obtained from this card party will be used to buy Christmas gifts to send to the Veterans Hospital in Portland. The gifts are put on display in the hospital and the veterans choose gifts from this display to send to their families for Christmas.

Plans were also made for serving the Cattleman's banquet. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Kemp Dick, and Mrs. Creston Robinson.

Misses Patricia and Gayle Albert were in Heppner during the weekend visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Albert.

Grit Self-Feeder



It takes just a few minutes to make this handy grit, or oyster shell self feeder for poultry. All you need is a nail keg and a tin can. Saw three inches off the bottom end of one stave of the keg for the outlet. Then, use a one-pound coffee can for the feed trough. Cut this down the seam—then back along the bottom three inches. Then bend the sides out to form "wings." Finally, shape the scoop-like bottom of the can so it fits into the keg opening, tack the "wings" to the keg, and you have a feeder!

County Receives Big Tax Check From PP&L

Among the large tax checks received by Morrow county last week in advance of the November 15 discount deadline was one for \$16,229.12 covering real property of Pacific Power & Light company in this area. J. R. Huffman, local manager for Pacific Power, said that the total real property tax paid at this time to 17 Oregon counties totaled \$1,207,393.36. The company's total tax bill for the year, including federal taxes, will be approximately \$3,819,000 he said.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr. and Mrs. Claude William Britt, Spray, a 7 lb. 11½ oz. girl born Nov. 13, named Verna Lee. To Mr. and Mrs. Irvin E. Rauch, Lexington, a 7 lb. 7 oz. girl born Nov. 14, named Tana Jo. To Mr. and Mrs. Avery L. Taylor, Heppner, a 6 lb. 9 oz. girl born Nov. 14, named Peggy Ann. To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil LaVerne Odom, Irrigon, a 7 lb. 13 oz. boy born Nov. 16, named Larry LaVerne. To Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pryor, Condon, a 7 lb. 1 oz. boy born Nov. 16.

Medical—Patricia Ann Worlein, Kinzua, dismissed; Donald Bruce Hillis, Condon, dismissed; Selma Orwick, Heppner; Alvin Casebeer, Heppner; David Joyal, Fossil; Sandra Rhinehart, Condon, dismissed; Joe Hughes, Heppner; Andy Van Scholack, Heppner; Jerry Buschke, Heppner, dismissed; Elizabeth Dix, Heppner.

Major Surgery—Lloyd Harshman, Jr., Heppner; Margaret Thornhill, Arlington; Betty Richards, Spray; Flora Shunk, Heppner.

Minor Surgery—Kenneth C. Johnson, Condon, dismissed; Marion Olson, Heppner; Bea Barkla Gomillion, Heppner.

Out-Patients—John E. Spurgeon, Bend; Sandra Rhinehart, Condon; Robert Buschke, Heppner; Katherine Webb, Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Thompson and children returned Sunday from Portland where they attended the Wool Growers meeting.

Elk hunting guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Labhart during the week were Robert Labhart and William Nord of Corvallis.

Phosphorous Needed In Winter Cattle Feeding, Says OSC

Oregon cattlemen would do well to watch for phosphorous deficiency in their cattle during the winter feeding period, although few cases of extreme deficiency are found in the state, advises Jim Ellings, extension animal husbandry specialist at Oregon State college.

The specialist says phosphorous is needed to maintain appetite and rate of growth in young animals. In milking animals, it is necessary for normal milk production. Animals fed on a phosphorous deficient ration have difficulty in utilizing feed properly, particularly proteins, he adds.

When cattle are on good pasture or range a phosphorous supplement isn't necessary, Ellings explains. But when they are fed dry roughage—such as hay and straw—for an extended period of time as during winter feeding, a supplement is needed.

Ellings lists these symptoms to watch for in cattle. Excessive salt consumption—probably above two pounds per head a month should be considered critical. Depressed appetite—evidenced by chewing bones, sticks or any non-feed material. Unthriftiness of any kind during periods when the cattle should be doing well. Uneven top-lines, cracking joints, stiffness, "walking on eggs" knee walking. Low calf crop percentages when breeding conditions have apparently been good. Light weaning weights on calves or light fall weights on yearlings. Cows going into the winter in thin flesh. These light weights cannot be specified except by careful comparison and observations.

Things to watch for in the range are also outlined. Any extended period of dry, cured or short feed. Shortage of browse plants such as winter-fat, sagebrush, greasewood, salt-bush and shadscale. Extended periods on stubble or low grade winter roughages.

To feed phosphorous, the specialist recommends steamed bone-meal be made available to animals at all times. If they won't eat straight bone-meal, a mixture

Local News In Brief

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wright left Heppner Monday for their home in Newhalem, Wash., after having spent two weeks elk hunting and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Whitmer Wright. The men both bagged an elk.

Mrs. Robert Gammell and Mrs. Harold Evans have returned from a week's stay in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ekstrom of The Dalles were weekend visitors in Heppner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Doolittle have returned from a weeks trip to Portland where they visited with their children.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and son Bobby have returned from a weeks visit to Salem and Portland.

of 10 to 30 percent salt should be used.

Will Hardie of Condon was a visitor in Heppner on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith and children spent the weekend visiting in Oregon City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sumner have returned from a two weeks wedding trip to California.

Mrs. James Driscoll and son Tom are spending the week visiting with her grandfather, Fred Lucas in North Bend.

Mrs. Eb Hughes returned Thursday from a stay in St. Anthony's hospital in Pendleton.

Mrs. Tom Wilson was visiting with her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. E. Fisher in Walla Walla during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Kendall of Ontario spent the week with Mr. and Mrs. Earle Kendall and daughters in Heppner.

C. N. Jones and Rev. Earl So-ward attended a Ninety and Nine men's group meeting Monday night at Hermiston.

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