

Heppner Takes Two More League Games

By Larry Mollahan

Playing return games with Arlington and Fossil, the Heppner Mustangs continued to lead the league beating a strong Arlington team 52 to 35 on the Heppner floor Friday night and without too much effort ran up a 71 to 28

score over Fossil at Fossil Saturday night.

Heppners captain Dick Kononen marked up ten points to lead the Mustangs against the Honkers. Huston led the game scoring, putting an even dozen in the basket for Arlington.

Lyle Jensen started things rolling for Heppner with two long ones to net four points. A whole bevy of two pointers came up as Kononen, Neil Beamer, and Skip Ruhl each hit the nets once. Beamer had an off night and after several misses from close in was replaced by Bob Grabill who in the second quarter launched two basket bound spheres for four points. Kononen, Ruhl and Del Piper each bagged two points along with Jensen and Jerry Hagewood who each hit one foul shot.

Heppner wasn't having an easy night of it with a low 22 to 14 lead at the half.

Hagewood with astounding accuracy, netted seven points in the third period on two long swishers from the corner and three foul shots. Kononen hit from the foul line three times and looped in a basket from the inner key. Jensen made good on one of two try at the foul line. The Mustangs were still out in front 35 to 24 at the end of the third quarter.

Heppner's string bean, Bob Grabill did some brilliant checking in the last period and caged four points on offense. Del Piper put in four more along with Lowell Turner who hit for two, both Piper and Turner are juniors. Kononen fouled his 10 points with a foul to end the scoring.

Heppner won the J. V. game 51 to 33. Lance Tibbles scored high with 12 points.

Falcons Drubbed 71 to 23

Bob Grabill hit for 17 points Saturday night to lead the scoring in Heppner's overwhelming victory over the Fossil Falcons at Fossil 71 to 23. Gilliam scored high for the ridge runners with seven.

In their seventh straight league victory Heppner took a 25 to 5 first quarter lead with Grabill off to a flying start with eleven counters. Neil Beamer mastered the boards and tipped in the lucky number seven. Lyle Jensen netted two set shots along with a one lone one by Jerry Hagewood.

The second five came off the splinter counter and John Piper led the scoring in the second panel with three deuces and two free throws. Deane Connor dumped in five pointers along with Del Piper and Ed Olson who flipped in four each.

Beamer was making up for the previous nights performance by dunking in seven more points in the third period. Grabill shredded the nets for six more to end the third period 60 to 17 in favor of Heppner.

The fourth period saw Deane Connor hit three layins along

Shamrocks Add Two More Hoop Wins

The Heppner Shamrocks continued their fast pace and extended their winning streak the past week with victories over Stanfield and the Condon Elks.

Playing at Stanfield Wednesday night minus three regulars, Kemp, Rea and Parent, the Shamrocks ran into stiff competition and almost suffered a setback as they found themselves trailing by one point with four minutes to play. Two quick baskets by Jim Mallon and a pair of free throws by Larry Downen pulled the game out of the fire for the Shamrocks with the final score 63 to 57. Jack Sumner was high man for the Heppner team with 19 points.

The Condon Elks bowed to the Shamrocks 71 to 44 on the local court Monday night in a game that found the locals leading all the way. The usually strong Condon team was seriously hampered by the absence of several players due to sickness, particularly their six foot seven inch center, Don Mayfield. Chuck Huggert, Heppner forward, led all scorers with 21 points.

A bang-up home game is on tap for the Shamrocks next Monday night against Irrigon, current rivals with Heppner for league leadership. These two teams have previously met once this season with the Shamrocks edging out a 67 to 65 victory.

HOSPITAL NEWS

New Arrivals—To Mr. and Mrs. William Scott, Heppner, a 7 lb. 2½ oz. girl born Feb. 4, named Jilliane Marie. To Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Weddle, Heppner, a 8 lb. 5½ oz. boy born Feb. 5, named Howard Broom. To Mr. and Mrs. James J. Farley, Heppner, a 5 lb. 13 oz. girl born Feb. 5, named Shannon Ellen. To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shannon, Condon a 6 lb. 5 oz. boy born Feb. 9, named Bradley Carlson.

Medical—June Jones and baby, Hermiston, dismissed; Henry Mortimore, Fossil, dismissed; Katherine McLaughlin, Heppner, dismissed; Bertha Dinges, Heppner; Ora Lundquist, Heppner; Ralph Medlock, Kinzua; Helen Wehrll, Fossil, dismissed; Georgia Lynch, Heppner; Larry Holliday, Lexington.

Minor Surgery—Carolyn Simmons, Mayville, dismissed; Michael O'Hara, Condon, dismissed; Helen Thompson, Heppner, dismissed; Louise Adair, Heppner, dismissed; Loyd Harshman, Heppner, dismissed.

Major Surgery—Ann Engman, Kinzua.

Out-Patient—Gladys Alderman, Heppner.

with Ed Olson who hit two of the same. Del Piper added a foul shot to end the scoring.

Heppner travels to Rufus Friday night but return to the home court Saturday night to play St. Joe's of Pendleton, the boys from Pendleton gave Heppner their only loss this season, so a good game is expected.

Steer Prices Continue Climb

HERMISTON—Darrell Padberg of Heppner topped the market at the Hermiston livestock auction Friday with 255 pound black whiteface calf that sold for \$23.00 cwt. Delbert Anson, manager of the sale, reports.

Feeder steers continued their steady recent climb. George Webb of Mayville received \$21.10 cwt., 60c above the previous Friday, for 11 feeder steers weighing 10,030 pounds.

Volume of cattle consigned was up Friday, 379 compared with 308 the previous Friday, with 105 consigners bringing small odd lots. Also consigned were 136 hogs compared with 210 and 27 sheep compared with 2. Oregon and Washington packers, feeders and farmers contributed to a brisk, active sale with demand broad for all classes of cattle. Quality was generally lower except for the feeder steers and heavy steer calves. Heifer calves were up 50c at \$18.60 cwt. top, and slaughter cows were steady despite poorer quality. Good quality feeder and fat lambs returned to the market at \$5.75 and \$19.10 cwt. tops respectively. Fat slaughter steers were of somewhat better quality, seven shorthorns weighing 1162 pounds bringing a top of \$21.90 cwt., up 30c. Top on baby calves of No. 30 was up \$7.50 hd., dairy heifers up 90c at \$14.80 cwt., canner-cutter slaughter cows up 40c at \$9.40 cwt. Stock cattle and grain fed cattle dominate the market currently, with many more grain fed cows and heifers needed at the sale next Friday.

Calves: Bab yealves 7.50-30.00 hd.; weaner calves, steer calves 19.90-21.60 cwt.; heifer calves 17.20-18.60 cwt.; veal 21.50-23.00 cwt. **Steers:** Stocker steers 16.75-18.10 cwt.; feeder steers 18.50-21.10; fat slaughter steers 21.10-21.90; fat heifers 16.75-18.70. **Cows:** Dairy cows 97.00-127.50 hd.; dairy heifers 11.60-14.80 cwt.; stock cows 96.00-106.00 hd. **Slaughter cows:** Commercial 11.75-13.10 cwt.; utility 10.35-11.50 canner-cutter 7.75-9.40, few heavy Holsteins to 11.50; shells 6.10-7.20. **Bulls:** 12.75-14.10 cwt. **Hogs:** Weaner pigs 6.50-11.00 hd.; feeder pigs 16.90-18.25 cwt.; fat hogs 17.80-18.60; sows 14.90-16.80; boars 6.50-13.10. **Sheep:** Feeder lambs 14.60-15.75 cwt.; fat lambs 16.60-19.10 cwt.; ewes 16.25-17.50 hd.; bucks 3.50-6.00 cwt.

Dr. V. L. Thompson Jr. of Seattle visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jones, Jr. last weekend. He is a brother of Mrs. Jones and has recently returned from Army duty in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bibby of Grass Valley were Heppner visitors last Thursday and were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Bibby.

2 Oregonians Picked For IFYE Farm Trips

Two young Oregon men, Gayle Gilmour of Jefferson and Roger Detering of Harrisburg, have been selected for foreign visits this year under the International Farm Youth Exchange program.

Detering will go to Turkey this summer and Gilmour to Brazil next fall. Donna Lingle of Borling was previously picked for a summer trip to Greece. She and Detering will leave for their assignments in June, according to Winnifred Gillen, state 4-H club agent who heads the Oregon program.

Both of the newly-named IFYE delegates are OSC students. Gilmour is a senior in agricultural engineering and Detering a junior in agriculture.

In the foreign countries, IFYE delegates live with farm families to learn their way of life. The exchange is privately financed by contributions. Its sponsors are the National 4-H Club Foundation and the U. S. department of agriculture extension service.

OSC Circular Gives Irrigation Pointers

Good irrigation practices to save plant nutrients, soil and water itself are outlined in a new circular published by Oregon State college extension service.

The handy pocket-size folder explains how to put water on the land at the right time, at the right rate, in the right amount, and by the right method. It was prepared by OSC extension irrigation specialist Marvin H. Shearer. Copies of extension circular 580, "Conservation in Irrigation," are available from county extension agents or from the OSC bulletin clerk.

PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beardsley of Portland are the parents of a 7 lb. daughter born February 4. She has been named Denise Sue. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beardsley of Portland and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Swaggart of Heppner; great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Swaggart of Hermiston and Will Hinton of Heppner; and her great-great-grandmother is Mrs. Mary Swaggart of Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Gribble and children and Bob Mahoney were Pendleton visitors last Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cook.


Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koenig have as their guests, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Koenig who arrived from their home in Salem, for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Rhodes of Raymond, Washington were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Orwick the last of last week.

Janice Driscoll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Driscoll, has gone to Walla Walla to attend St. Paul's school for this term.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Mahoney spent Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in Elgin.

Mrs. Bradley Faucher and children are in Portland for this week visiting with her parents.



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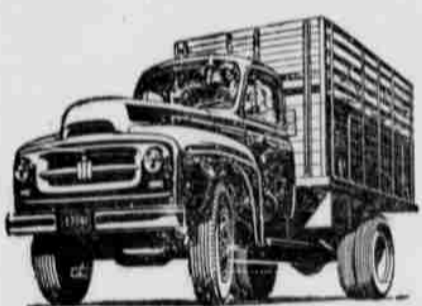
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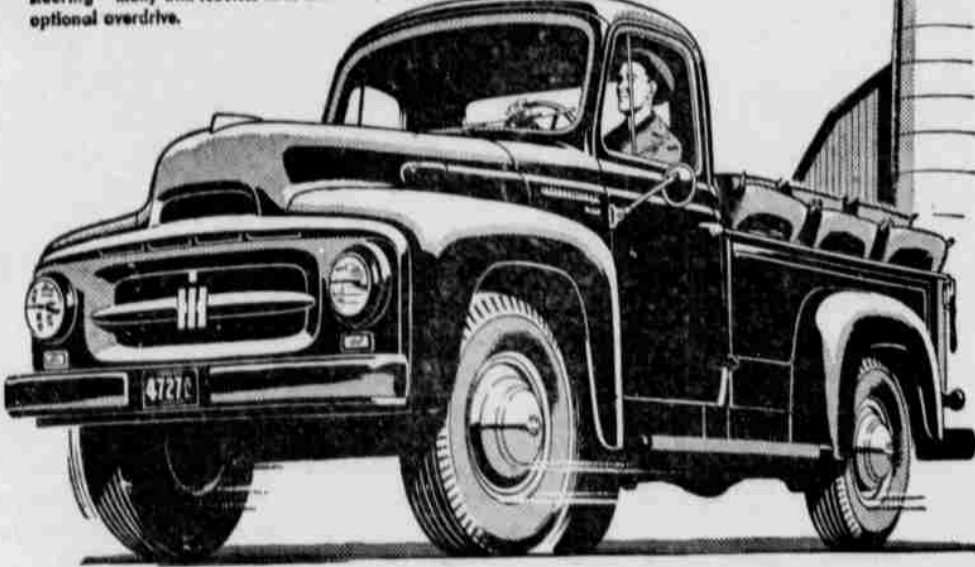
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