

Heppner Loses in Seventh Ball Game

By Larry Mollahan
 "Lucky number seven" turned out exactly opposite for the Heppner Mustangs in the second half of the Fossil series last Friday. Heppner lost the first game of the season on the Fossil field 8 to 4.

A quartet of Jim Hayes, Skip Ruhl, Lyle Jensen and Jerry Dougherty scored the runs for Heppner.

Scoring for the Falcons was Wood with two runs, Meyer two, and Shatton, Smith, Joyals and Berg each scored one.

Honkers Voted 24 to 7
 Arlington just couldn't cope with the batting power of the Heppner Mustangs, it was a run away from the first pitch to the last.

Rained out the week before, Arlington found Monday's good weather not much help as they scored a poor minority 24 to 7.

It was only after Heppner was ahead 20 to 0 in the fourth inning that Larry Downen pulled the hardhitting first string out of action and sent in the "bench cowboys" to finish the game.

Skip Ruhl established some sort of a record when he was walked six times and scored four runs during the game.

Jim Hayes and Lyle Jensen totaled three runs apiece for the Mustangs. Jerry Haguewood smacked two runs, Ed Olson two, Lance Tibbles two, Burke Gentry two, Jerry Dougherty two and Dick Kononen one.

Finley scored two for Arlington, Deen, Palmer Hartfield, Logan and Morgan each scored one for the Honkers.

HOSPITAL NEWS

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 New Arrivals—To Mr. and Mrs. William Lee Cox, Heppner, a 5 lb. 14 1/2 oz. boy born April 28, named Todd Clifton. To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Woods, Kinzua, a 9 lb. boy born April 29, named Max Allan. To Mr. and Mrs. Francis Stangel, Mayville, a 7 lb. 12 oz. boy born May 1, named Robert George.

Medical—Carl Linn, Ione; Cleo Robinson, Kinzua, dismissed; Homer Schell, Fossil, dismissed; Newton Matteson, Heppner; Melvin Gaarsland, Ione dismissed; Jack Bedford, Heppner; Vera Happpold, Heppner; Mark Hagen, Condon, dismissed; Ann Kimmell, Monument; Evelyn Dunn, Fossil; Charles Nelson, Jr., Fossil.
 Minor Surgery—Mildred Morris, Heppner, dismissed; Marion Knapp, Condon.

Week of May 7 to 14 Designated For Ione Clean Up Drive

The Ione Garden Club in co-operation with the city of Ione this week announced plans to hold a city-wide cleanup week from May 7 to 14 and urged every resident of the town to remove or burn all unsightly debris during the period.

Members of the Garden club made the suggestion that residents not forget parking areas, vacant lots and alleys around homes and do what painting and repairing of buildings that can be done.

In urging participation of all citizens during the drive mayor Omar Rietmann made the following proclamation:

"I hereby proclaim the week of May 7 to 14 be designated as spring clean up week and ask the citizens to cooperate with city in disposing of all burnable rubbish. What cannot be burned will be picked up by the city if placed in piles in the street. Anyone having anything too large to move into the street may have aid by calling Eldon Tucker, phone 8-182."

Local "Hams" Offer Help With Radio, TV Static Problem

For many years Heppner residents have reported poor radio reception due to various forms of "static" and now that TV has come to town local radio amateurs report that this condition can cause interference with television reception.

Many forms of interference can be corrected, however a person without basic radio knowledge often is helpless to decide what the cause may be or how to effect a cure.

Several local amateur radio operators offer, free of charge, their services and advice in the correction of the problem. Namely, when interference is severe, note the type, appearance and the sound and the exact time of day. The amateurs may be contacted by calling 6-9456.

The local "hams" offering their services have the call letters W7UZL, W7ZJQ, W7ZMK, W7ZHL, and W7ZJO.

Major Surgery—John Davis, Heppner; Duane Kandle, Kinzua; Piri Howell, Heppner.

Out-Patients—Howard Bird, Kinzua; John Buseick, Stanfield; Beverly Sherman, Heppner; Thomas Hughes, Heppner; Wade Bothwell, Heppner.

Gazette Times Classifieds Pay!



MERLIN ZIER, who will be the new pastor of the Hope Lutheran church will be organized here next Sunday.

Heppner Lutherans To Organize Church

Hope Lutheran church of Heppner, will be officially organized at a special service this Sunday, May 8, as a separate congregation of the American Lutheran church.

Dr. S. C. Siefkes, president of the northwestern district of the American Lutheran church, from Portland, will be present to conduct the special service and effect the organization. Also present will be the Rev. Armin H. Reitz, pastor of Trinity Lutheran church, Hermiston, who is currently serving this Lutheran group.

Sunday school will begin at 9:30 a. m. and will include an adult Bible class this Sunday. The organizational service will begin at 10:30 a. m. Both Sunday school and church services will be at the SDA church in Heppner. Friends and visitors are invited to attend.

Merlin Zier, graduating from Wartburg Theological Seminary at Dubuque, Iowa, this spring, has accepted the call to serve this new congregation, and will begin his work here in July.

A potluck dinner for members and friends will be held at the Legion hall at noon.

SC District Better Farming Tour Set

The annual better farming field tour in the Heppner Soil Conservation district was set for June 13 at a meeting of the district supervisors Wednesday night at the courthouse.

Rental rates on all district equipment were raised on the recommendation of the equipment committee who pointed out that rental receipts had not kept up with expenses on equipment. District machinery includes a grader-terrace, rotary scraper, grass-legume drill, billion packer seeder, noble sweep plow and a cultipacker. Ranchers wishing to use the equipment may contact any of the supervisors, N. C. Anderson or Tom Wilson.

Exhibits on display in connection with conservation week include a wildlife exhibit at Gillingham and Bisbee and model conservation farms, forest conservation practices and models of the Morrow county Grain Growers facilities in the bank building. Tom Wilson of the exhibit committee reported. The model farms are those of Paul Brown and the Al Bunch-Fred Mankin ranch, recent county conservation award winners.

A conservation film, "This Is Our Land" was shown and prize money voted for a conservation poster contest being held in the county schools this week.

The monthly progress reported showed 2,775 acres of conservation surveys completed, 786 acres of strip cropping established, 3,200 feet of diversion ditches staked, 26 acres border irrigation staked and 115 acres grass and legumes seeded. In addition a stubble mulch field trial using

Pilot Rock Takes Two Heppner Meets

By Larry Mollahan
 It was a "Good Day For Pilot Rock" on two occasions this past week. The first, the seventh annual Heppner Invitational track meet Saturday afternoon. The second occasion Tuesday night was the initiating of the lights on the Bodeo field in the Morrow-Umatilla County Invitational track meet.

Taking both meets by wide scores the Rockets demonstrated a lot of power both in the field and track events.

In the Heppner invitational Pilot Rock collected a total of 76 points, Heppner was poor second with 30 1/2. Moro ranked third with 30, Stanfield had 6 1/2, Lexington 5, and Helix 4.

The two most exciting events of the day were the 440 and the team relay. Skip Ruhl was inches behind Suiste of Pilot Rock in the 440 and supplied a "photo finish" in the relay when Ruhl came in neck and neck with Horn of Pilot Rock.

Heppner scored a single first place when Larry Mollahan tossed the discus 112' 10". Heppner didn't lack as far as seconds places were concerned with a total of four. They were Lyle Jensen in the discus, and the hundred yard dash, Skip Ruhl, 440, Mike Monahan mile, and Dick Kononen in the 180 yard low hurdles.

Heppner fared a little better Tuesday evening with three first places. Skip Ruhl won the 440 in 56.8 seconds. Mike Monahan took the mile with 5:14 time, and Dick Kononen went over the sticks in the 180 yd. low hurdles to win in 24 seconds.

The skew treader was set up on the Mankin ranch in Eightmile and another demonstration planned for a later date.

Those at the meeting were Newt O'Harra, Lexington, chairman; Donald Peterson and Raymond Lundell, Ione; J. J. Wightman and Pat Doherty, Vinson; N. C. Anderson and Wilson, Heppner.

HERMISTON SALE

HERMISTON—Bulls brought a new high for the season of \$17.80 hd.; weaner calves, steer calves 19.75-21.85 cwt., heifer calves 15-20-17.70; singles to 18.20 cwt.; veal 22.75-27.50.
 Steers: Stocker steers 16.35-17.90 cwt.; feeder steers 18.10-20.30; no fat slaughter steers; fat heifers 16.75-20.10 cwt.
 Cows: Dairy cows 97.50-170.00 hd.; dairy heifers 25.00-49.00 hd.; stock cows 107.50-125.00 pr.

EXTENSION UNIT TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Heppner extension unit will meet on Tuesday, May 10 for an all day meeting at the home of Mrs. R. K. Drake with Mrs. Drake and Mrs. Rufus Piper demonstrating sweet breads and rolls.

The meeting will open at 10:30 and the co-hostesses will serve lunch at noon.

NEW RADIO CLASS

Ray Smith, instructor for a free radio class which has been conducted for the past several months, said this week that he is planning on starting a new class in one or two weeks.

There is no charge nor any age limit except that interested persons should be in the 5th grade or over. Further information can be obtained by calling 6-9456.

RHEA CREEK HEC TO MEET

The Rhea Creek H. E. C. will meet Thursday May 12 at the grange hall. Everyone having old clothing is asked to bring it as a box is to be packed for the Indian mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koenig had had as their guests Wednesday of last week her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mattison and her sister Mrs. Bob McKay all of Walla Walla, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bos and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson of White Swan, Washington.

Mrs. W. C. Erther of Milton-Freewater visited Friday with her daughter and son-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. Lester Boulden. She attended the Union Missionary Society meeting held here.

Called to Heppner because of the illness and hospitalization of Jack Bedford were his mother Mrs. Beatrice Bedford and his sister Mrs. C. G. Heppner both of Portland. Mrs. Heppner returned home on Tuesday but Mrs. Bedford will remain here for a while.

demand accounted for this increase.
 Calves: Baby calves 7.50-32.00 hd.; weaner calves, steer calves 19.75-21.85 cwt., heifer calves 15-20-17.70; singles to 18.20 cwt.; veal 22.75-27.50.
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 Slaughter Cows: Commercial 14.10-15.60 cwt.; utility 12.35-13.80; canner-cutter 9.50-11.70; shells 7.50-8.35.
 Bulls: 14.25-17.80 cwt.
 Hogs: Weaner pigs 6.75-13.25 hd.; feeder pigs 16.10-18.20 cwt.; fat hogs 17.90-18.70 cwt.; sows 13.35-15.60 cwt.; boars 6.25-9.10 cwt.
 Sheep: Feeder lambs 12.25-14.20 cwt.; no fat lambs; ewes with lambs 10.50-19.50 cwt.; bucks 1.75-3.50 cwt.

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