

Heppner Bounces Back To Dump Maupin 13-6

By NEAL PENLAND

The Mustangs of Heppner High are off again after last week's loss. Friday night they took Maupin High 13-6.

Heppner's two tallies came in the third quarter. The first one was a 13 yard scamper by Dick Ruhl and the P A T was again Ruhl up the middle. The Mustangs went 88 yards in 5 plays for their first score.

The Horsemen again came through when Ruhl passed to Dick Robison for 17 yards and a touchdown. The P A T was not good. The Mustangs went 40 yards in 3 plays for this score.

Maupin's lone touchdown came in the second quarter when Wendell McDaniel went 15 yards for a score. Maupin broke through and blocked a punt by Ruhl and set up the T D. Heppner was on their own 15 yard line. Maupin went 5 yards in one play for the score.

On the ground and in the air

the Mustangs lost all the way around. Maupin gained a total of 305 yards and 15 first downs. The Mustangs had a total of 225 yards and 4 first downs, but they had seven more points on the scoreboard.

Heppner's defense is what saved the game for them. They held Maupin on the one yard line at the end of the first half and kept them from scoring.

Dick Ruhl did a fine job of keeping the ball out of deep territory by his quick kicks.

Ruhl was Heppner's top gainer while Wendell McDaniel's was Maupin's.

On defense, Dick Ruhl, Bob Mahoney, Larry Prock, and Steve Flug turned in fine defensive plays.

The Maupin game was the last home game of the season for Heppner who this Friday night will meet Stanfield under the lights on the Stanfield turf.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients—Walter Hyatt, Fossil; Sara J Trobaugh, Ione; Ronnie Kinoshita, Heppner, dismissed; Barbara Hall, Kinzua, dismissed; Bobby Fetsch, Heppner; Ella Sargent, Heppner; Jackie Grisham, Monument, dismissed; Alex Hunt, Lexington; Nora Hoag, Heppner; Merna Lane, Heppner, dismissed; Eileen Prock, Heppner; Gertrude Howell, Heppner; Anita Asher, Spray; Audrey Edmond, Heppner; William Smith, Heppner; Foster T Collins, Hardman.

TEA POSTPONED

The silver tea and food sale planned by the Christian church women for next Saturday afternoon has been postponed because of funeral services for J E Craber at that time.

BURKENBINES HAVE GUESTS

Recent guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Loyd Burkenbine have been her mother, Mrs C C Brassfield, her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Ray Zahn and her brother, Irl Brassfield all of Palco, Kansas; her sister and husband, Mr and Mrs Delmar McCall, Wakeeney, Kansas; her sister, Velma Brassfield of Spokane and Miss Vivian Henry, Witchita, Kansas. They were here to help in the store while the Burkenbin's son, Jay was in a Portland hospital for surgery.

TO THE EDITOR...

To The Editor:—

O M Yeager, of Castle Rock, has sent to my sisters and to me a copy of the Gazette-Times of August 7, containing an article which incorporates a letter from Garfield Crawford, of Arlington, Texas, to his sister, Mrs Frank Parker.

This article is of great interest to us, as we are the daughters of John "Watermelon" Redington, former owner and operator, or I should say, publisher, of the Heppner Gazette, of whom the letter speaks. Before I go on, please note that the name Redington is spelled with only one D, instead of the two, as in the story.

We are four sisters, of whom I am the oldest. I will append the names of the three others at the end of this letter, in case anyone is interested, or remembers the family.

My father, as a young bachelor, owned the paper in the early 1880's, as I remember it. He kept bachelor quarters in a long, low house at the edge of the hills at the upper end of town, and had wonderful times with his men friends, hunting, setter dogs and so forth. He had a Chinese cook, and gave fine bachelor dinners. I have heard. He owned a cattle ranch out in the hills, too.

He finally sold and went to Salem, where he was in the newspaper business, too. He also was a scout in the Indian campaign. In Salem he married my mother, who was the youngest daughter of A B Meacham, who was Indian Commissioner for the Washington-Oregon territory under appointment by President U S Grant. Grandfather also, with his brother, Harvey, built and operated the toll road over the Blue Mountains to the mines at LaGrande, and the hotel where travelers stopped there at the summit.

My father moved his family to Walla Walla, where he published the Statesman. Then he moved to Puyallup, Washington, where a new fertile country was opening up, and he published the

Puyallup Commerce there. It was there he got his middle name of Watermelon, because he led a drive to save a burning building by throwing at the flames the melons from a carload of watermelons standing on a railroad siding. We left Puyallup in 1894 or 1895, when the "hop lice" destroyed the profitable hop fields from which the town drew its prosperity. Before that, my father planted an acre of blackberries, raspberries, and blackcaps on his home acre in town; and sold them in Tacoma. I think he really started the berry industry in Puyallup.

But we went back to Heppner in 1898, I think it was, and he again bought and published the Heppner Gazette. We left the year before the flood, and we would all have been lost if we had stayed there, as our house was swept away. But my sisters and I have never forgotten Heppner to this day.

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LONG LEGISLATIVE RECORD

A man who contributed more time to his state in continuous legislative work than any other—with one exception, died Thursday in Klamath Falls.

Henry Semon served in the Oregon House of Representatives for 22 years. First elected in 1933 he served his last term in 1955, which was his 11th regular session. In his 22 years he also served in three special sessions. He was chairman of the powerful House Ways and Means Committee during nine of his 11 sessions.

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The hearings will be held at Myrtle Point Oct 23 and Newport Oct 24.

Morgan also granted a 4 percent increase in cartage rates within Portland and its commercial zone, effective Oct 20.

Morgan said he had not received a letter supporting the request by the Oregon Bus Association for smoking to be allowed in the three rear seats of busses although he has received a flood of mail opposing the request. Smokers apparently don't care enough about smoking on busses to write a letter asking for the privilege.

In another action Morgan this week gave Idaho Power Company permission to issue 15 million dollars worth of first mortgage bonds. The money is to be used to help finance the company's Oxbow and Brownlee Dam construction on the Snake River.

A foe of both those dams, Morgan explained that the law requires him to approve the bond issue.

GRASS FROM THE CLOUDS

A helicopter was used to plant grass along the Coast and Pacific Highway last week, the Highway Commission said Wednesday.

Used first in the Brookings area it had moved to Myrtle Creek for seeding.

The Forestry Department has been doing this successfully for several years.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr and Mrs P W Mahoney were Mr and Mrs Tom Mahoney of Portland.

Guests this week at the home of Mr and Mrs Gene Ferguson are their son and wife, Mr and Mrs Ted Ferguson and Mr and Mrs Archie Kerber all of Gold Beach, Oregon. The Kerbers also visited at the Terrel Benghe home.

Mrs Ervin Anderson and Carol K and Mrs Al Parent of LaGrande visited Mr and Mrs Larry Martin in Corvallis over the weekend.

Mrs Grace Nickerson has returned to her home in Heppner from Eugene where she was at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr and Mrs Francis Nickerson and Condon at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr and Mrs Richard Hayes, following a fall in which she broke her right arm.

Mrs Velma Glass, Tom Glass and Neal Penland were in Portland over the weekend and attended the University of Oregon-University of Southern California football game Saturday night.

Weekend guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Eddie Thorpe were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr and Mrs Robert Cloud of St Paul, Minn.

Mr and Mrs Jack Fastabend and three children of Richland, Washington visited over the weekend with their parents, Mr and Mrs C A Ruggles.

Bradley Fancher and Dick Sullivan of Bend and Kenneth Jackson, Hermiston were weekend guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Harry O'Donnell, Jr.

Mr and Mrs John Laughlin of Montrose, Colorado are visiting here with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr and Mrs W C Heath.

Mr and Mrs Clifford Coleman and daughter Julie of Hood River visited last weekend at the home of Mr and Mrs John Venard. Coleman was formerly chief clerk at the Heppner branch of First National Bank of Oregon.

Mrs Mabel Chatfee, Mrs F J Santee of Vancouver, Wash, Mrs Ethel Zeimantz and Mrs Madelyn Duke spent Saturday in Pendleton.

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Justice and Municipal Courts

Charles Monagle, drunken driving, \$150 fine, suspended, drivers license suspended 90 days.

LeRoy Neal Wheelhouse, possession of game bird during closed season, \$25 fine.

Curtis William Lechner, shooting from railroad right of way, \$25 fine.

Don Hurst, hunting during closed season, \$25 fine.

Melvin P Hurst, hunting during closed season, \$25 fine.

Arthur LeRoy Burkenbine, possession of game bird during closed season, \$25 fine.

Sarah Jane Adkins, shooting from public road, \$25 fine.

Melvin Moyer, hunting during closed season, posted \$50 bail.

Lyle Leslie Matteson, hunting prohibited hours, \$25 fine.

Clifford Lynn Stephenson, hunting prohibited methods, \$25 fine.

Eugene Frank Majeske, shooting from a public road, \$25 fine, 30 days in jail suspended.

Gene Watson Cutsforth, shooting from public road, \$25 fine and 30 days in jail suspended.

Timothy Albert Farwell, failure to tag deer properly, \$25 fine and 30 days in jail suspended.

W H Jackson, trespass, posted \$30 bail, hearing later.

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LEXINGTON EXTENSION UNIT

The Lexington Extension Unit will meet at the Lexington Christian church Wednesday, October 22 at 2:00 p.m. The program will be on color.

ATTEND DISTRICT MEETING

Those from Heppner attending the annual district no 6 meeting of the American Legion Department of Oregon, in Pendleton Monday, were post commander, Ed Dick, Bill Labhart, C J D Bauman, D E Hudson and auxiliary president, Mrs Richard Wells.

CONDON P-TA DATES UNITED NATIONS DINNER

The Condon P-TA will hold a United Nations dinner Sunday, Oct 19 from 1 to 4 o'clock at the Condon Memorial hall. The dinner will have an international flavor with foods from foreign lands on the menu.

SOROPTIMISTS AT MEET

Mrs Floyd Adams, Miss Leta Humphreys, Mrs Pearl Devine and Mrs Clara B Gertson were members of the Soroptimist Club of Heppner that attended the district no 2 meeting at The Dalles Saturday and Sunday.

Yours very truly,
Mabel Redington Reid
(Mrs Wm J)
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