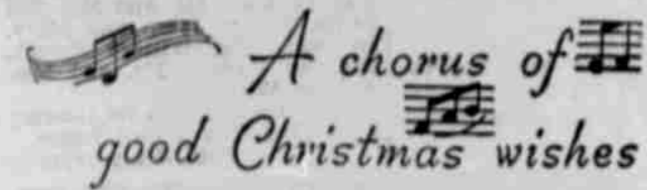


Ski Trails

Saturday's storm dumped an additional 4 inches of new snow on the Arbuckle Mountain Ski area, located 27 miles from Heppner, on Shaw Creek and Ukiah road. There is now a total of 32 inches, with light snow falling often on the area. Work crews of the ski club

have installed the tow drive equipment and only the rope remains to be hung. The area will be open after Christmas with the possibility of operation this week end, if the rope arrives in time. Roads are icy and slick in spots. Chains and snow tires are a must and those entering the area are advised to carry a snow shovel. Log trucks are on the roads often during week days and on Saturdays.



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Cards Down Mustangs

HEPPNER GAZETTE-TIMES, Thursday, December 21, 1961

Sports

Wheeler Staves Off Last-Ditch Rally, Tops Ione

A rousing rally by the Ione Cardinals was stopped just short of victory by Wheeler County High school at Fossil Saturday night, and the Cards suffered their first defeat, 44-43.

It was the lone "clutch player," Rollie Ekstrom, who just about tripped the Fossil five in the waning moments of the fourth quarter. With less than a minute to go and Ione five points behind, Ekstrom tallied on a field goal after the Cards had intercepted a pass. On a one and one free throw situation, Rollie made both and the Cards were just one point short at the final buzzer.

Probably reacting from their victory against Heppner Friday night, the Cards were far from their peak against Wheeler. They trailed through the game, 7 to 6 at the end of the first quarter, 19 to 16 at halftime, and 37-27 at the start of the fourth. They came back with a 16-point rally in the fourth period while Wheeler made only seven. Despite their cold night, the Cards hit 17 from the floor to 16 for Wheeler. However the Fossil five had 12 free throws to nine for Ione.

Each team took exactly the same number of shots from the floor and each squad had 15 personals charged to it, showing the evenness of the contest. This was a non-league game, and the Ione boys don't open their conference season until January. Wheeler jayvees won the preliminary, 45 to 31.

IONE 43

Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Ekstrom	5	4	4
Martin	3	2	3
Davidson	0	0	0
Hams	2	0	2
Crabtree	6	2	4
Pointer	0	1	1
Rigby	1	0	1
	17	9	15

WHEELER 44

Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Misener	3	1	3
Ostrander	3	1	2
Rector	0	1	0
Wright	5	1	4
McCulloch	4	4	3
Loomis	1	4	3
Hudson	0	0	0
	16	12	15

Mustang Jayvees Top Ione, 34-19

Breaking a 13-13 halftime tie, the Heppner High Jayvee basketball team captured a 34-19 victory over the Ione High Jayvees Friday night in a preliminary to the varsity contest.

The winners had a 10-5 margin at the end of the first quarter but Ione came back for the half-time tie at 13-13. In the third quarter the Colts moved in front, 23-17, and finished strong for the final 34-19 score.

Ken Wright was high point man for the game with 13 and Bill Akers led Ione with eight, which was matched by Richard Clark of Heppner with eight.

HEPPNER 34: Clark 8, Nichols 6, George 1, Schoonover 0, Sherman 2, Wright 13, Lesser 0, Ayers 4, and Cole 0.

IONE 19: Heimburger 4, Padberg 0, Martin 3, Akers 8, Klingler 4, Halvorsen 0, Lindstrom 0.

Hunter Safety Law Clarified By Commission

The Oregon State Game Commission has issued a clarification concerning some misunderstandings of the hunter safety training law that will become effective January 1, 1962.

Contrary to published reports the Certificate of Competency in the safe handling of firearms does not have to be presented to obtain a hunting license nor does a person 18 years of age or older have to take the course of training. A person, 17 years of age or younger, is required to take the course of training regardless of whether or not he previously has been issued a hunting license.

Certificates issued by other states, provinces, or the National Rifle Association will satisfy requirements of the law.

The game commission also reminds hunters, 17 years of age or younger, that the Certificate of Competency must be carried with them whenever they are hunting with a firearm for any wild bird or animal, not just the game species. The only exception to this would be when a hunter in these age groups is hunting on his own land.

Courses of training are given by volunteer instructors in almost every community in the state. All prospective young hunters should avail themselves of the training as soon as possible.

Lexington 4-H Club Organizes For Year

We're the "Lively Five," and we're ready to go. We've got our leaders, and we thought you should know. Linda, our prey, with Terry at her heels, Leora, our secretary, can't even spell deal! We're five strong you know, so we'll go for more. Bev leads our songs, with never a bore. And me, Jeanette, now don't say e-e-ek! Will keep you informed whenever we meet. And just so we'll end the year complete. Eileen Padberg leads us every other week. We're from Lex, you now all know. We're the "Lively Five," and we're ready to go! Jeanette Ledbetter, reporter

freshman, home economics; Melvin E. Martin, sophomore, agriculture; Marilyn J. Morgan, freshman, home economics; Lloyd R. Rice, freshman, agriculture; Kenneth L. Smouse, freshman, science. Lexington—Richard E. Ruhl, sophomore, education.

Morrow Students Enroll At OSU In Many Fields

Nineteen students from Morrow county—including 10 from Heppner—are enrolled at Oregon State University this year, according to a report issued by the university.

OSU has a record enrollment of 9,039 students this fall, 1100 more than a year ago. A breakdown of the total shows 6649 from Oregon this fall, 2100 from 48 other states, and 300 from 56 foreign countries.

Morrow county students at OSU include:

Heppner—Gerald A. Bunch, a freshman in engineering; Gayle J. Cox, sophomore, business and technology; Allen D. Ferguson, freshman, engineering; Helen A. Graham, junior, business and technology; Clifford W. Green, sophomore, agriculture; Kenneth M. Keeling, freshman, forestry; Kathleen G. Spencer, freshman, science; Richard W. Sherman, junior, engineering; Gerald C. Sumner, senior, business and technology; M. M. Van Schoiack, sophomore, engineering.

Boardman—Barbara S. Anderson, junior, business and technology; Stevan D. Flug, junior, engineering. Ione—Michael D. Benge, senior, agriculture; Jean M. Martin,

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hours, happy memories,
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Banquet Honors Ione Cardinals

Ione Cardinals football players were guests of honor, along with their fathers, at a banquet at Stefani's December 11. The event was sponsored by the Ione Lions club.

Lion President Elton Yarnell, was master of ceremonies. He introduced the Cardinal coach, Glenn Biehl, Ione High Principal Darrell Relsch, Joe Hausler, team statistician, members of the team, and their fathers.

Rodney Enos, head coach at Columbia Basin College at Pasco, was main speaker, talking on the future of football. He said the record of his team and that of the successful Cardinals during the past season was the same, 9 wins and one loss. He showed pictures of his team in action in some of the games

Columbia played this fall. The Lions club was organized early last spring. Members said they expected to make this honoring of the football team an annual affair.

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buckets and 14 from the free throw line. Padberg was second high scorer with 16 on five field goals and six free throws, and Ekstrom had 13 with five from the floor and three from the charity line.

In team totals, the Mustangs outscored Ione on field goals, 17 to 13 but the Cardinals had 21 free throws to 11 for Heppner. Padberg was the only man to go out on personals, although Moyer and Dubuque for Heppner and Hams and Crabtree for Ione were all on thin ice with four each at game's end.

HEPPNER 45

Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Padberg	5	6	5
Moyer	8	2	4
Dubuque	1	0	4
Applegate	2	1	2
Biddle	1	2	3
George	0	0	0
Springer	0	0	2
Cox	0	0	0
Gardner	0	0	0
	17	11	20

IONE 47

Fg	Ft	Pf	Tp
Ekstrom	5	3	2
Martin	1	4	3
Davidson	0	0	2
Hams	3	0	4
Crabtree	3	14	4
Pointer	1	0	2
	13	21	17

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gimbel, Hermiston, visited here Saturday and attended the dinner and the Masonic installations. Their son, Fred, was installed chaplain in the Blue Lodge.

After being staggered by the "one-man gang"—Crabtree—in the second quarter, and trailing 25-18 at halftime, the Mustangs settled down again and started a comeback that was to bring a thrilling climax to the contest.

After his big first half, Crabtree was held to only four points in the second half, and Wayne Hams, Ekstrom and Martin carried the scoring load for the Cards.

The Cardinals, with Ekstrom and Hams both hitting pushers and Crabtree scoring on a tip-in, moved the count to a 14-point bulge, 34-20, with one minute gone in the third quarter. Dick Springer connected for the Mustangs in the same minute of play, but it appeared as if the Heppner five was in for a solid drubbing.

But Moyer and Padberg got to work and the Mustangs stiffened. In the next two minutes they cut the margin to nine points, 35-26, with Moyer making four hits on two field goals and Biddle hitting twice from the free throw line while Ekstrom was hitting a single shot from the infraction line.

Ekstrom came through with a pair of clutch baskets which may have been the keys to the eventual lone victory. He pushed one from the key midway in the period and hit another pusher a minute later to bring the score back to a 13-point advantage for Ione, 39-26. Then Heppner countered seven points in a row that moved them within six points at the end of the quarter, 39-33. Moyer, Shar, Applegate and Padberg all hit field goals and Padberg added a free throw as the quarter closed.

The Heppner five edged closer at the start of the fourth when Padberg sank two free throws. Ekstrom countered with a free throw for Ione, and Moyer evened that one with a gift shot for Heppner. Hams jumped a field goal for the Cards, but Moyer came right back with one for Heppner, and it was 42-38 for Ione with the final quarter half over. Crabtree hit a free throw for the Cards, and Padberg countered with one for Heppner. Ekstrom and Crabtree each had single free throws for the Ione five, but Applegate and Moyer came back with single shots for the Mustangs, and the count still showed a six-point spread, 47-41, with two minutes to play.

At this point Padberg, who played a strong game through the contest, missed a pair of free throws but came back with a steal and jump shot that put Heppner within four points, 43-47, with a minute and a half to play. Twenty-five seconds later he jumped another, and the score moved to 47-45. The Cards took the ball and grimly held it until Padberg intentionally fouled Ekstrom and left the contest on his fifth infraction. Rollie missed both tries with seven seconds left, and time ran out with the plucky Cardinals on the long end of the 47-45 score.

High point honors went to Crabtree with 20, followed by Moyer with 18. Moyer hit eight field goals on 17 tries to lead both in that department. Crabtree's points came on three

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of Christmas be with you always*

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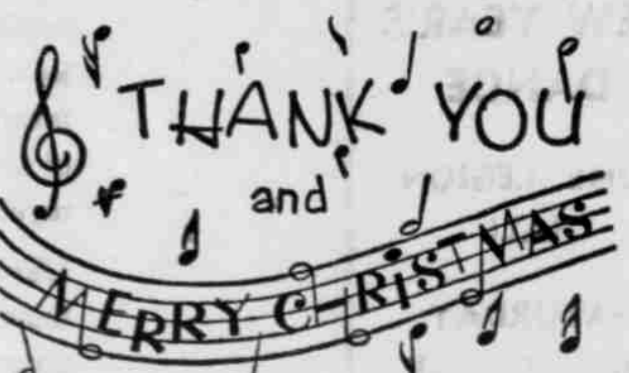


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