

Cardinals Enter Jamboree Friday

With a crew of seven lettermen back from last year's team, Lone High school's basketball squad will open the year Friday night at the "West End" jamboree of the Morrow-Umatilla B league at Riverside High, Boardman.

The Cardinals will tackle Stanfield in the opener in two 10-minute quarters, after which Riverside will play Umatilla's team No. 1, and concluding with Echo opposing Umatilla's team No. 2. Starting time for the jamboree is 7 p. m., and while basketball is the main event, rooting sections will also compete for a sportsmanship trophy, won last year by Lone.

This will be the only action for the Biehlmen until December 14 when they open their season's schedule at Lone against Arlington in a non-league. On the following night, Saturday, December 15, the Cardinals will swing into league play, going against Weston at Lone.

This year, the teams of the entire league play each other on a home-and-home round robin schedule. With two non-league contests with Arlington, the lone five thus will have a total of 18 games in the regular season.

Coach Glenn Biehl is fairly optimistic about the season's outlook. He has Ron Crabtree, high scorer of last year's team, back as a senior this year, and Rollie Ekstrom, another veteran, looks good. Crabtree averaged about 17 points per game last

year and Ekstrom tallied about 10 per contest. Other seniors on the squad are Les Madden, Marv Padberg, Jim Martin and Gary Morgan. Only letterman who is not a senior is Ken Klingner who made his mark as a sophomore last year.

Up from the jayvees to add strength are Bill Akers, senior; Steve Lindstrom and Tom Heim-bigner. Three students are reporting for the first time this year without previous experience. They are Mancel Townsend, senior; Dick Hynd and John Rea, juniors; and Bob Emert, sophomore.

Freshmen reporting include Herb Davidson, Jay Ball, Mark Halvorsen, Joe Hausler and Rodney Linnell.

After early practices, Coach Biehl says his team is "coming along pretty good." He believes McEwen of Athena will be the team to beat in the circuit. The top four clubs in the nine of the league at the end of the season will be matched against the top four of nine from the southern part of district 3 in the district tournament that will be held in Pendleton at some date yet to be chosen.

The Cardinals expect to build their offense around a tandem post with Crabtree, 6-2, at the high post and Ekstrom, 6-1, at the low post. They will fast break when conditions are right, the mentor says. Crabtree will be listed as center and Ekstrom will

have a forward spot. Probably destined for the other starting forward post from the 10-man traveling squad will be Jim Martin, and Ken Klingner seems to have the call for one of the guard positions. The fifth place on the team is a guard position that is "up for grabs" among four leading contenders, Heim-bigner, Bill Klingner, Madden and Morgan. So keen is the competition among them that they may be alternating as starters throughout the year, Biehl said.

1926-63 BASKETBALL SCHEDULE IONE HIGH SCHOOL

Dec. 7—Jamboree at Umatilla
 Dec. 14—Arlington at Lone
 Dec. 15—Weston at Lone
 Dec. 21—Riverside at Boardman
 Dec. 22—Athena at Athena
 Jan. 4—Stanfield at Lone
 Jan. 5—Helix at Lone
 Jan. 11—Echo at Echo
 Jan. 12—Umapine at Lone
 Jan. 18—Umatilla at Umatilla
 Jan. 19—Arlington at Arlington
 Jan. 25—Riverside at Lone
 Jan. 26—Weston at Weston
 Feb. 1—Stanfield at Stanfield
 Feb. 2—Athena at Lone
 Feb. 8—Echo at Lone
 Feb. 9—Helix at Helix
 Feb. 15—Umatilla at Lone
 Feb. 16—Umapine at Umapine
 (All are conference games except Arlington games. Jayvees open each game at 6:30, varsity follows at 8 p.m.)



JOHN PORTER

Porter is Chosen On All-State 11's

John Porter, senior guard on the Heppner High school football team, has received all-state recognition both from the Oregonian and the Oregon Journal. He was chosen for the second team on each of their squads for A-2 schools.

Porter, 6-2 and 190 pounds, was a standout throughout the season, particularly on defense. Dick Springer received honorable mention in the Journal's picks.

Porter and Springer both are now playing varsity basketball for Heppner. John said that he expects to go to Washington State college after graduation. He transferred to Heppner High school last year from Pilot Rock.

Business Settled In New Location

The new M & R Floor Covering and Heating Co., opened recently by Matt Hughes and Ray Ayers, is getting well settled in its new location at 313 Main Street, formerly occupied by Winn-Dee's Snack Shack.

Grand opening will be held at a later time, the owners state. They are carrying a full line of furnaces and floor coverings and offer service on electrical appliances, refrigeration and heating.

Both men have had long experience in these lines, having worked for years with Case Furniture Co.

City Buys Pickup From Fulleton; Eyes Water Fees

Bid of Fulleton Chevrolet company to furnish a 1963 half-ton Chevrolet pickup, 3-speed standard, to the City of Heppner at a cost of \$1475 with trade-in was accepted by the city council at its meeting Monday night.

The city had advertised for a light pickup to replace an old pickup now being used, and funds for the replacement were provided in the 1962-63 budget.

Only other firm bidding was Heppner Auto Sales which offered a 1962 F-100 half-ton pickup, 4-speed, eight cylinder for \$1584.83 with trade-in.

Fulleton also offered a 1961 Chevrolet Corvair pickup for \$1200 and a 1957 GMC 4-speed at \$800. The council decided that the new one would be the best buy for the city.

The matter of charges for water to churches was reviewed at the meeting. It has been the policy of the city to furnish water to churches without cost. However, parsonages pay for water at regular rates. Superintendent Vic Groshens pointed out some inequities which have come about as the result of this policy

and asked the council to review the situation. Some churches use water from church hydrants to take care of parsonage lawns and gardens, he said. Also, some wasteful practices have been observed.

Groshens recommended that all churches be placed on meters and that a plan be established where churches would receive a certain amount without charge. The matter was submitted to the water committee for consideration.

Attention was called to the fact that drainage near the new high school, that had been expected to be done by the school district, has not been done and water continues to run down the extension of Morgan street to flood property owners below. It was recommended some time ago that diversion ditch be dug above to carry the water off to the northwest along the other approach. Recorder Ted Smith was asked to check into the matter.

The council approved beer license renewals for Aiken's Sport Shop and Cal's Tavern. It also approved construction of a large billboard by Donald Sign Co. on the north side of the Case Furniture Co. on space to be leased to the company by Mrs. Gene Case.

Building permits were approved as follows: Alvie Jones, 175 Baltimore St., home alterations and repairs, \$2000; Mabel Davidson, 610 N. Main, porch construction, \$300; Harry Munkers, 585 Jones, repairs, \$1000.

The council canvassed votes of the recent election of city officers and certified the totals to be correct.

Matter of boys shooting shacks at the city dump was brought up. It was reported that they had shot through the building that houses the city's tractor, and it is feared that the tractor might be damaged if the practice is allowed to continue. It was pointed out that shooting in the dump is in violation of a city ordinance, and violators will be prosecuted.

Councilman John Pfeiffer brought up the matter of the need for a guard rail on hill on the extension of Morgan street near the new school and said he is afraid that some car may go out of control on the hill in bad weather and roll over the embankment.

Councilman Carl Spaulding brought up the matter of young drivers "squirreling" on the streets. A general discussion followed but no action was taken.

Groshens pointed out that the ceiling is about to fall off in the old library and recommended it be stripped and covered with acoustical tile. The matter was turned over to the streets and property committee.

Councilman Ed Gonty presided at the meeting in the absence of Mayor Al Lamb and Conley Lanham, president of the council.

PROFESSIONAL WESTERN STARS

Who Played on Ernest Tubbs Show and Just Finished A Las Vegas Engagement

★ SONNY DEEGAN ★ SPEED BEATTE
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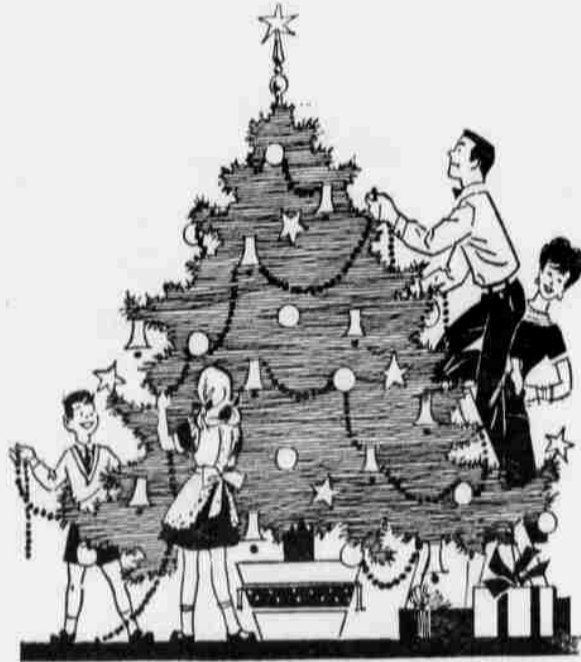
December 7, 8, at the

WAGON WHEEL

MUSIC BEGINS AT 9:00 P.M.

Everyone Welcome

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1. Place lights away from combustible materials.
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3. Avoid using candles.
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5. Don't put cotton under your tree.
6. Overloading circuits is dangerous. Don't use too many lights.

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Lions Make Sweep On Sale of Brooms

Ione Lions sold all of their initial supply of 100 whisk brooms and half of their supply of 300 house brooms on the first night of their sale Monday. They went from door-to-door on the sale, offering the brooms made by Oregon Industries for the Blind.

They were very pleased with the response to the project, proceeds of which will go to civic projects sponsored by the Lions. They had intended to continue Tuesday night but decided to defer it until a later time because of conflict with other activities.

Mrs. Christopherson Writes Lone News

Mrs. Ernest (June) Christopherson who lives 19 miles from Ione will write Lone news for the Gazette-Times starting next week. She will succeed Mrs. Don Ball who had to give up the work as correspondent when she took a full-time job at the hospital in Heppner.

The Christophersons came to the county last July and are living on the R. D. Allstott place. Mr. Christopherson is an agent for Producers Insurance Co.

Those with news items are invited to call the new correspondent. She hopes to cover all phases of community news, including local items, school news, and doings of various organizations. Being on a rural phone line and located some distance from Ione will mean some handicaps, but Ione residents are urged to help in order to give good news coverage to the community.

Mrs. Christopherson's telephone number is 676-5322.

Class Changed

Evening Spanish class has been changed to Monday night at 7:30 next week at the high school instead of the regular Wednesday time because of a conflict with PTA meetings. Mrs. Jean Williamson, teacher, announces.

A Man's View of... CHRISTMAS

The way to please a man at Christmas is to make your gift selection from HIS point of view. That's easy to do here, where everything is styled to a man's taste!








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